THE WEATHER

Fair, with slowly rising temperature tonight and Wednesday; moderate westerly winds.

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# HARDING DECLARES FOR PEACE BY CONGRESSIONAL RESOLUTION AND TURNS BACK ON LEAGUE OF NATIONS

## Body of Man Believed to be Former Captain of Canadian Expeditionary Forces Found in Canal Today

### NO SIGNS OF FOUL PLAY

**Description of Body Furnished by Medical Examiner T. B. Smith**

Discovery of Discharge Papers Most Important Result of Examination

Unusually mysterious circumstances surround the discovery in the waters of the Merrimack canal this morning of the body of a middle-aged man, thought to be G. L. Lemoine, former captain of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces and possibly a former resident of Sorel, Province of Quebec, Canada.

The body was found floating down the canal shortly after 10 o'clock this morning by Michael McAuliffe of 25 Kirk street and Powell Ray of 63 Sixth avenue, who were standing on the bridge over the canal in Merrimack street, opposite the Y.M.C.A. They immediately rushed into Lucy Larcom park which runs along the canal, secured a hook from the lifesaving apparatus there and pulled the body ashore a short distance from the Merrimack mills. They were assisted by Patrolmen Simon Lane, Daniel Donovan and Frank Murphy, and the body was removed to the undertaking rooms of C. H. Molloy's Sons in Market street.

Examination there by Medical Examiner Thomas B. Smith disclosed the body of a man 5 feet 7½ inches in height, weighing about 180 pounds and in somewhat poor condition because of advancing decomposition.

The man had very black hair and his head was beginning to become bald in front. His eyebrows and eyelashes were black and unusually heavy. In the lower jaw there was a gold-filled tooth and several teeth were missing. All the fingers of his right hand except the thumb and forefinger, were missing and there were large scars on the outer side of his forearm.

**Discharge Papers Found**

The most important result of the examination was the discovery in the inside pocket of the dead man's coat of a discharge certificate with the name: "Capt. G. L. Lemoine, 60th battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Forces." The discharge address was given as 51 Adelaide street, Sorel, Province of Quebec, Canada, and the discharge serial number was 457843. The discharge was evidently endorsed by a commanding officer, although the endorsement is somewhat blurred from being in the water. It notes that he served in the European war in France for 16 months as a member of the C.E.F. and says that he is entitled to wear two stripes of gold braid.

On the lapel of his coat was found an enamel button reading: "For service at the front with the C.E.F." Several other papers were found on his person, but they were so water-soaked that they were illegible.

**No Signs of Violence**

There were no signs of violence on the body, according to Medical Examiner Smith, and the condition of the body would indicate that it had been in the water a week or more. Dr. Smith ordered the body removed to the Molloy undertaking rooms and will be held there for possible identification.

Investigation at the Merrimack mills near which the body was found disclosed the fact that the deceased had no connections there. The man wore a dark suit.

The Merrimack canal runs along Dutton street for quite a distance and the body might originally have come from the Merrimack and worked into the city's network of canals. There is no indication of the cause of the accident and inasmuch as there are no signs of violence, the assumption is that the man either committed suicide or accidentally fell into the water. He is thought to have been a man between 35 and 40 years of age.

### CAREY WILL CONTEST IN SUPERIOR COURT

The contest of the will of Mrs. Helen F. Carey was continued before Judge Franklin T. Hammond and a jury in the superior court today. The will leaves an estate, with the exception of $1 bequeathed to a daughter, Mrs. Mary Josephine Butler of Springfield, to George W. F. Carey, a son. The estate consists mainly of the home residence property of the deceased. The will is being contested by Mrs. Butler on the ground that undue influence was brought to bear to secure the making of the will.

### SCHOOLBOYS MEET ON SOUTH COMMON

Everything is in readiness for the schoolboys' meet of the grammar schools of the city, which will take place on the South common oval in the morning of Tuesday, April 19, and Major Walter R. Joyes, director of physical training for the public schools, has spared nothing to make the event most attractive.

The events as prepared will be as follows: 100-yard dash, class A; 100-yard dash, class B; 220-yard dash,

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### WANTS TREES REMOVED

Smith J. Adams Asks City to Make Way for South Common Diamond

The municipal council at its meeting this morning, received a petition signed by Smith J. Adams, asking that certain old trees on the South common be removed in order that the baseball stadium may be made over. A public hearing on the matter was requested. It was voted to refer the petition to the park department.

The council also approved a contract entered into by Commissioners Marchand and Salmon with Perley F. Gilbert of Andover, for his services as supervisory architect for the erection of a new firehouse at the junction of Pine and Stevens streets. Mr. Gilbert is to receive as his commission six per cent. of the cost of construction.

**Meeting in Detail**

Today's meeting was called at 10.05. Commissioner Salmon was absent.

After hearings, the following petitions were referred to Commissioners Murphy and Marchand:

Lowell Electric Light corporation, two poles in Mt. Washington street to give service at Nos. 17 and 28.

Lowell Electric Light Corp., one pole in Canton street to serve No. 71.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., two pole locations and abandonment of one pole in Mt. Grove street between Fourth and Fifth avenues. There was one objector.

Lowell Electric Light Corp., one pole in Crescent street, near Parker.

Lowell Electric Light Corp., one pole to give service at 711 Central street.

The petition of Irene Dubois for a garage and gasoline license at 84 Ford street was referred for a hearing April 26.

Hearings will also be held April 26 on the petitions of the Lowell Electric Light Corp. for a pole in Gibson street and another in Butman road.

The petition of John Cassidy et al., that Walnut street be resurfaced, was referred to Commissioner Murphy.

Similar action was taken on the petition of William D. Brown et al., that the crossing at Fremont and Sixth streets be repaired.

**Want Moody Street Repaired**

A petition signed by Joseph Payette and a very large number of other residents of Moody street asked that that thoroughfare from Pawtucket street to Sixth avenue be macadamized. The petition was referred to Commissioner Murphy.

The petition of Maurice W. Mulcahy for a license to conduct a lunch cart on the southerly side of Jackson street was referred to Commissioners Murphy and Marchand.

The council approved a bill of $738.56 for 5000 pounds of arsenate of lead to be used by the moth department in spraying.

Commissioner Murphy was authorized to issue a requisition upon the purchasing agent for the purchase of a truck for the engineering department at a sum not to exceed $820, the same to be charged to the appropriation of the engineering department.

Adjourned at 10.35 until Tuesday next at 10 a. m.

**ATTACHMENT FILED**

An attachment has been recorded in the Middlesex north registry of deeds by Mary F. O'Dowd, executrix of the will of Henry J. O'Dowd, on property of Mike Shamas, in an action of contract. The sum named in the attachment is $1500.

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### HUMOR AND COMMON SENSE

**Delightful Talk on Optimists and Optimism by John Kendrick Bangs**

"Faith in His God, Country and Fellow Men" is Bangs' Religion.

**Crowd That Fills High School Hall to Overflowing Hears Noted Humorist**

Proclaiming a creed of optimism, and interspersing the statement of his philosophy with examples of the humor which has made his name a blessed one in millions of American homes, John Kendrick Bangs, author of cheerful books dear to a host of readers, spoke last evening before a crowd which crammed every available inch of high school hall. The event marked the closing lecture of the Moses Greeley Parker course, and Mr. Bangs took for his subject "The Incorrigible Optimist." In opening his discourse, Mr. Bangs detailed his travels in search of an adequate definition of the word "optimist." He was told at the start, by the author of the dictionary, that an optimist is "one who believes that everything is for the best." He found

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### HARDING DELIVERS ADDRESS IN PERSON

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Following a custom inaugurated by George Washington, abandoned by Thomas Jefferson, and revived by Woodrow Wilson, President Harding delivered his first message to congress today in person. The two houses assembled in joint session in the house chamber to hear the executive outline his views with regard to the many domestic and foreign problems pressing for solution.

### ESCAPED FROM BURNING BUILDING

Mr. Paul Coster and his young son, who occupied a five-room bungalow near Albina street, East Chelmsford, had a narrow escape this morning, when the building in which they were sleeping was burned to the ground. The Chelmsford fire department was summoned and Chief Saunders of the local department, at the request of Police Officer George Small of East Chelmsford, sent a piece of apparatus over, but the combined efforts of both departments were fruitless, and not even one piece of furniture was saved.

The fire was discovered at about 3.30 o'clock by Mr. Coster, who was awakened by the crackling of flames. He quickly awakened his son and both made quick exit. Officer Small was notified and he quickly sounded an alarm and then requested assistance from the local department. A piece of chemical was despatched to the scene, but by the time it arrived the house was wrapped in flames. The bungalow was built by Mr. Coster a short time ago, but was not fully insured. It is believed the fire was caused by a defective kerosene stove.

### MANSLAUGHTER CASE IS CONTINUED

The case of Lawrence Roark, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Daniel Direnski, 5, hit by a motor truck operated by the defendant, was continued today in the police court to April 23. The same bond of $2000 was retained. On March 11 the young Direnski boy, who was the son of Dannis Direnski, formerly police court interpreter and now proprietor of a Middlesex street fruit store, died of a fractured skull and internal injuries at the Lowell Corporation hospital, after being knocked down by an automobile truck in Middlesex street near Smith. Roark, who resides on Fourth street, was driving the machine, when the boy is said to have run out into the street and to have been thrown violently. The truck was the property of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway.

**NEW YORK CLEARINGS**

NEW YORK, April 12.—Exchanges $689,797,655; balances $55,357,565.

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## President Tells Congress He Will Approve "Declaratory Resolution With Qualifications Essential to Protect All Our Rights and End Technical State of War"

### President Harding's Principal Recommendations to Congress

WASHINGTON, April 12—Pres. Harding's principal recommendations to congress in his first annual address delivered today included the following:

**Foreign Relations**

No separate peace treaties with the central powers "on the assumption alone that these would be adequate."

"The wiser course would seem to be . . . . . to engage under the existing treaty, assuming of course that this can be satisfactorily accomplished by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom of inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests. . . . . No helpful society of nations can be founded on justice and committed to peace until the covenants re-establishing peace are sealed by the nations which were at war.

**Taxation**

Readjustment of internal taxes and revision or repeal "of those taxes which have become unproductive and are so artificial and burdensome as to defeat their own purpose."

**Tariff**

Instant tariff enactment, "emergency in character and understood by our people that it is for the emergency only."

**Railroads**

Efficiency operation "at a cost with-

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### FIRST ADDRESS TO CONGRESS

**President Submits Recommendations and Outlines Foreign Policy**

Declares Unreservedly Against "The Existing League of Nations"

**Peace Engagements, However, Cannot Improve Old World Relationships**

To Engage Under Existing Treaty With Proper Safeguards

WASHINGTON, April 12.—President Harding in his first address to congress today announced that he would approve a "declaratory resolution" by congress, "with qualifications essential to protect all our rights" which would end the "technical state of war against the central powers of Europe."

He added, however, that "it would be idle to declare for separate treaties of peace with the central powers on the assumption alone that these would be adequate because the situation is so involved that our peace engagements cannot ignore the old world relationships and the settlements already effected, nor is it desirable to do so in preserving out own rights and contracting our future relationships."

Although declaring unreservedly against "the existing League of Nations" the president said: "The wiser course would seem to be the acceptance of the confirmation of our rights and interests as already provided and to engage under the existing treaty, assuming, of course, that this can be satisfactorily accomplished by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom from inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests."

An association of nations, the president said, could not be founded until the world was at peace.

### LONGE GUILTY OF MURDER

**Fairhaven Man Convicted of Second Degree Murder at Rutland, Vt.**

Jury Had Been Out 24 Hours—Stay of Sentence Granted

RUTLAND, Vt., April 12.—A jury which had deliberated for 24 hours today found Peter W. Longe of Fairhaven guilty of second degree murder for the death of Owen Hayes, six months ago. Counsel for the defendant moved that the verdict be set aside and a stay of sentence was allowed pending arguments.

When the verdict came Longe had at his side his 15-year-old daughter Madeline, whose relation of statements which she had said were made by her father resulted in changing the official view of Hayes' death from one of accidental drowning to one due to an assault with intent at robbery. The body of Hayes was found floating in the Castleton river at Fairhaven last October.

Both father and daughter took the pronouncement calmly. As at other times since his trial, during which Madeline repudiated her first statements, the child and her parent embraced, and he was then returned to jail.

### PACKERS MUST SELL INTERESTS

**Agree to Divest Themselves of Stockyards and R. R. Terminals**

Agreement Reached Between Swift & Co., Armour & Co. and Dept. of Justice

WASHINGTON, April 12.—A new plan under which Swift & Co. and Armour & Co. are to divest themselves of their interests in stockyards and stockyard terminal railroads, was agreed to, today, by the department of justice and immediately approved by Justice Stafford of the District of Columbia supreme court.

Under the plan the packers are to deposit their stocks in the yards and terminals with the Illinois Trust and Savings bank of Chicago, for administration by two trustees, Henry W. Anderson of Richmond, Va., and George Sutherland of Salt Lake City, Utah, until sold, which must be within one year.

The trustees are to receive salaries of $10,000 a year each, and will have power to interfere in the management of any stockyard or railroad if in the

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**FIRE IN DRACUT WOODS**

A threatening blaze started in the woods in the rear of the George Heland farm in Mammoth road, Dracut, this noon and for a couple of hours the members of the Dracut fire department were kept busy fighting the flames. The fire started in the swamp in the vicinity of Long pond and made rapid progress towards valuable timber when the alarm was sounded, but the firefighters succeeded in checking the flames before any serious damage was caused.

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HOW TO USE

BLACK IRON STOVE POLISH

Shake the bottle well and apply sparingly to the top of the stove in the morning before starting the fire; then start the fire and as soon as the front covers and cross section are just about dry, which generally requires less than two minutes, start burnishing the entire top working fast so stove will not become too hot while working over it, and finish off the top with a dry cloth or an old piece of velvet preferred. The entire operation should not require over five minutes.

Go over the rest of your stove with the moist stove polish rag and finish with a dry rag or old piece of velvet.

If covers or front of stove redden up quickly, change covers around or go over them with fine emery paper or wire wool waste to roughen them up a little and apply the polish in the usual way. Cut out and save these directions.

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Address at 7.45 o'clock followed by buffet luncheon.

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TWO OUTFITS FOR THE STREET

Here are shown two spring outfits for the street. The one on the left is of blue-headed tricotine. Furs are of gray fox and hat is of blue and gray with a roche feather. The suit on the right is of blue, trimmed in henna braid. The hat is of black milan, trimmed in henna ribbon.

# BOSTON OFFICER KILLS EAST BOSTON MAN

BOSTON, April 12.—Angelo Barbanto, aged 50, said to have lived at 38 Trenton street, East Boston, was shot and killed about 11.40 last night by Patrolman Harold B. Titus of the East Boston police station.

The shooting occurred at 127 Saratoga street, whither the officer had been called to quell a disturbance.

It is said that Titus took hold of Barbanto to arrest him, whereupon Barbanto pulled a stiletto and tried to use it on the officer. Titus, in self-defense, it is declared, pulled his revolver and fired five shots, all of which took effect.

The wounded man was rushed to the East Boston Relief hospital, but was dead on arriving there.

MEET AFTER 56 YEARS

CHICAGO, April 12.—Henry Reutel's mother was told that he had been killed in action. That was in the Civil war. His brother, Christen, has just found him here. They hadn't seen each other for 56 years.

PEDIGREED POTATOES

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 12.—John Moser, farmer, gets $7 a bushel for his potatoes. That's because he selected 25 Irish Cobblers of uniform size and developed a crop of the same size. These he sells for seed.

A boy who opened motorcar doors before a Paris restaurant averaged $50 a day in tips.


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If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head and ear noises or are growing hard of hearing go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmint (double strength), and add to it ½ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.—Adv.

# LOWELL MAN SAYS CINOT GAVE HIM WONDERFUL RELIEF

**Mr. Richard Lendrum of 8 Howard St., Lowell, and an Employe of The City Iron Foundry for Twenty-five Years, Says Great Words for the Herbal Tonic CINOT**

Mr. Lendrum, who is well known in Lowell is glad to say kind words about CINOT because the relief he received from that remedy was just what he was looking for and being an honest man he felt he should give his fellow beings the benefit of his experience, he says:

"I have carried my dinner to work for so many years that it hurt my digestion and I would get sour acid stomach and heartburn with splitting headaches and specks before my eyes."

"I did not feel just right and was really out of sorts and felt as tired when I got up in the morning as when I went to bed at night and I began looking around for a good medicine. A friend told me about CINOT and I received great results."

"My stomach trouble has left me and I am feeling better in every way and do not hesitate to endorse CINOT as a wonder remedy of the age."

CINOT is being demonstrated in Lowell by an expert at Dows' Drug Store, Merrimack square and is for sale by all druggists everywhere.—Adv.

# WORST TIMES AT HAND

## Skeffington Declares Radical Employers Are in Saddle With Bit in Teeth

BOSTON, April 12.—This country is facing the worst times, so far as the industrial situation and collective bargaining are concerned, that it has ever seen, Henry J. Skeffington, commissioner of immigration at this port, declared yesterday in addressing delegates to the revision convention of the Granite Cutters' International Association of America.

"It will take our wisdom and fidelity to the unions to pull through," he added. "The radicals among the employers are now in the saddle with the bit in their teeth.

"The manufacturers care nothing about standards of living or about civilization but would squeeze the last drop of blood from the poor devils who work for them for 15 cents an hour.

"That is why they want the ports open so that they can break down the skilled crafts unions. This is the most acute crisis the world has ever seen."

The granite cutters' delegates, numbering about 85, will be in convention here for about two weeks to revise the constitution of the association. James Duncan, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, is presiding over the sessions.

## PARENTS THREATEN TO KILL CHILDREN

WESTFIELD, April 12.—Parents have threatened their children with bodily harm and even death if they give school authorities further information on ether drugging that has now become popular among many residents here, according to investigations made yesterday by school superintendent Chester D. Stiles. One woman told the superintendent she would drown her children if he attempted to get any more information. Director H. G. Lythgoe of the state department of health will arrive Wednesday to look into the situation.

## EMULATE SPIRIT OF BOSTON TEA PARTY

HATFIELD, April 12.—Declaring that in so doing they are emulating the spirit of the Boston Tea Party, more than 100 citizens of this town at a special town meeting last night passed a resolution pledging themselves to ignore the state daylight saving law. This is the fourth town in the Connecticut Valley officially to take such action.

## REPORT OF DEATHS

For Week Ending April 9, 1921

March
31—Elizabeth McCarthy, 60, arterio-sclerosis.
Joseph A. A. Jacques, 9m, bronchopneumonia.

April
1—Diamantino Azevedo, 1, encephalomyelitis.
Hazel R. Plummer, 5, gen. septic peritonitis.
Izabella Jankowska, 24, bronchopneumonia.
Mary Fitzgerald, 80, arterio-sclerosis.
Bridget C. Cahill, 68, illum. gas poisoning.
Constance Peretra, 4 m., cap. bronchitis.
2—Charles Lajoie, 61, acetonaemia.
Astrid W. Hengtson, 19, rheumatic fever.
Agnes Dwinell, 17 h, ac. suffocation.
James Christie, 77, lob. pneumonia.
William Reardon, 76, cancer.
3—Evagelia J. Drivas, 8 m, bronchopneumonia.
Michael Flynn, 2 d, adynamia.
Elias H. Fogg, 90, arterio-sclerosis.
Isabelle Myers, 35, cer. embolism.
Ida I. Kelly, 26, puerperal sepsis.
5—Elizabeth F. Fox, 58, interstitial nephritis.
Victoria Dalphond, 78, cer. hemorrhage.
Benjamin C. Murray, Jr., 15, septicaemia.
Ellen Moloney, 65, arterio-sclerosis.
Oscar Gervais, 2, lob. pneumonia.
6—Francis L. Gallant, 13 d, ac. peritonitis.
Peter Szostakowski, 3 mi, prolapse of umb. cord.
Anthony Boudzewicz, 7, general
Mary P. Keane, 23, mil. tuberculo-peritonitis.
7—Ella Verry, 27, peritonitis.
Daniel R. Thomas, 9 m, gastro-enteritis.
Wilfrid Turgeon, 7 m, oedema of glottis.
Eugene Therriault, 59, atheroma of arteries.
8—Mary E. Rufle, 53, pneumonia.
6—Ellen Little, 66, endocarditis.

STEPHEN FLYNN, City Clerk.

## BATH A LUXURY IN GERMANY

BERLIN, April 12.—The hot bath has become such a luxury in Germany owing to the shortage of coal and the manner in which the government regulates the distribution of fuel that many persons have ceased bathing. Others have gathered courage for an icy sponge daily, but this is not popular for the houses are generally cold and exposure in cold rooms after a chilly tub paves the way for colds and pneumonia.

Ordinarily a family can afford hot water once every two weeks. Hotels where nationals of entente nations reside supply running hot water.

Public baths, where once a plunge or a tub was available for a few pfennings, have been forced to close or raise prices beyond the reach of workmen and salaried workers. Only expensive bathing places remain open, for the patronage of the profiteers. In Berlin six or eight bathing establishments have gone out of business.

This situation has produced hygienic conditions which have caused much discussion among health authorities and suggestions have been made that the several cities assume the task of providing proper public bathing facilities. However, the cities also are handicapped by lack of funds, shortage of coal, and the government rationing regulations.

Nearly all German houses in the cities are equipped with modern plumbing and numerous bathrooms and before the war the Germans were insistent on the daily hot bath.


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## WARNS OF ICEBERGS IN OCEAN LANES

NEW YORK, April 12—A special warning against icebergs, reported yesterday as only 30 miles from the track of west-bound transatlantic steamers into New York, was issued here yesterday by the United States hydrographic office.

The warning read:

"Many icebergs only 30 miles from the west-bound track to New York, involving great danger to shipping unless tracks be shifted to southward immediately. Urge steamship companies to accept previous recommendation from hydrographic office that they shift tracks 60 miles to southward without further delay."

## TOWN ALTERS NAME

**Paper Opposed, So Town Gets No Publicity**

YORK, S. C., April 12.—Six years ago, following a political fight, the name of this town established in 1798, was changed from Yorkville to York. The Yorkville Enquirer, country newspaper, opposed the change, and refused to accept it. The staff was given instructions to use Yorkville in the news columns. As a result Yorkville gets more publicity than York.

The management of the newspaper also refuses to accept checks made in favor of "The New York Enquirer," as sometimes occurs.

## DENIED RIGHT TO PRESCRIBE LIQUOR

NEW YORK, April 12.—The right to prescribe liquor to his patients was denied Dr. Donald McCaskey yesterday by Judge Everett H. Holmes of the legal staff of the federal prohibition commission. Judge Holmes, who concurred in the decision of Federal Prohibition Director Charles R. O'Connor, said this was practically a test case of the right of a federal officer to revoke the right of a physician to prescribe.

It was alleged at a hearing of Dr. McCaskey's case last week that he had written 45 prescriptions for liquor in a single day just before Christmas, and that 32 of these prescriptions were issued to employes of a large hotel. Allegations were made that some of these were in the nature of tips and Christmas gifts. Mr. O'Connor said no prescription blanks would be issued to the physician for one year.

Customs officers yesterday dug 75 cases of unopened and unsealed whiskey, champagne and benedictine from beneath tons of bunker coal on board the steamship Maraval of the Trinidad line, which arrived here from Spain. No one on board the vessel admitted ownership of the liquor.

## INGROWN TOE NAIL TURNS OUT ITSELF

A few drops of "Outgro" upon the skin surrounding the ingrowing nail reduces inflammation and pain and so toughens the tender, sensitive skin underneath the toe nail, that it can not penetrate the flesh, and the nail turns naturally outward almost over night.

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unless folks let them stay

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People who pare corns keep them. People who use old treatments—harsh, unscientific—do themselves injustice.

There is now a scientific corn ender. A famous chemist perfected it. This world-famed laboratory supplies it through druggists everywhere.

It is at your call. A touch will apply it. Its use seals the fate of a corn.

At least 20 million corns yearly are now ended in this easy, gentle way. Apply it to one corn tonight. Watch what it does.

Plaster or Liquid

Blue-jay

The Scientific Corn Ender

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| Fancy Maine Style Corn, can | 9c |
| Xlent Tomatoes (No. 3 can) | 10c |
| Comet Rice | 10c |
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Members of the class are ticket clerks for the seven big railroads entering Cleveland. The teachers are F. L. Long, chief agent, and his assistant, R. E. Burt.

Each ticket seller and information clerk every Monday is furnished with a list of questions to be asked the following Friday. The questions are those arising from pupils' experiences.

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Cleveland railroad men say the school will become a regular established institution in other railroad centers. The New York Central, B. & O., Big Four, Wheeling & Lake Erie, Nickel Plate, Erie and Pennsylvania roads here are doing the pioneering.

**Typical Questions**

Typical questions asked by the instructors and the answers to them are:

"When do reduced summer tourist fares go into effect in eastern territory? Western territory?" May 15. June 1.

"What passengers are entitled to fare of 1 cent per mile?" Disabled soldiers on furlough.

"What is approximate cost of a locomotive? Dining car?" $45,000. $45,000.

"Give shortest time of trains from Chicago to San Francisco." Sixty-eight hours, 20 minutes.

"May a berth be made up for a day ride?" Yes, in case of non-contagious illness.

# LITTLE VISITS WITH FEATHERED FRIENDS

By MARY SEAMAN

One bright Sunday afternoon my attention was attracted to Neighbor Wren, who had "rented" one of my bird houses. What caused me to know that something quite unusual was on hand in the neighborhood was the fact that both Mr. and Mrs. Wren were scolding with all their might, and darting about the grape arbor frantically.

I went at once to investigate and for a little time could see nothing wrong. No cat was in sight, no sparrow hawk and no shrike; but still the unhappy parents kept up their frightened scolding. I stepped to the chicken park and there I saw the cause of all the excitement, and it certainly was enough to cause any father and mother consternation.

Some baby wrens had left the nest and in their efforts to learn to fly had made their way into the yard where some half-grown chickens were. To the chickens these sprightly little creatures were a new kind of bug, sent for their diet, and a chicken had a baby wren in its beak, running about the yard with all the other chickens in hot pursuit. Of course, I rescued the wren, which seemed none the worse for its adventure, and went back to the house, believing that all trouble of that nature was over.

I had not reckoned fully with the wren-chicken combination, however, for no less than three times that afternoon I took some member of the wren family away from a voracious and highly indignant chicken. Once I was in time to see the chicken strike the little fellow against a post, trying to break or kill this huge "bug" before he ate it.

Mr. and Mrs. Wren and I were completely upset before that family had their wings under control and the danger from chickens was over. Nothing daunted, however, the parents reared another family in the same house.


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# OKLAHOMA WINS SUIT WITH TEXAS

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Oklahoma won in the supreme court yesterday the first big point in her suit with Texas for jurisdiction over valuable Red river oil fields.

In an opinion which was unanimous, excepting that Associate Justice Clarke took no part, the court held that the south bank of the Red river must be taken as the true boundary between Texas and Oklahoma from the southeastern corner of the latter state to the point between Texas and Oklahoma from the southeastern corner of the latter state to the point where the river crosses the 100th meridian of longitude. More than 1000 miles of boundary were permanently fixed by the decision.

The court based its findings specifically on the terms of the treaty signed in 1819, between the United States and Spain, which "consummated the Louisiana purchase." That document, it held, affirming its own decision in the case of the United States versus Texas, set the south band of the river as the true boundary.

Delineation of the exact location of the "south band" was postponed until the entering of the formal decree which will be promulgated. It was announced today, within the next 30 days. Until this decree is made public, those interested will be little better off than before today's decision, according to persons familiar with the territory in dispute, as the river is extremely shallow along practically its entire length.

A new element was injected in the case Saturday when John M. Taylor, claiming to represent certain Indians, filed a petition for leave to intervene. He presented a patent covering much of the disputed territory said to have been issued by President Van Buren to the Cherokees. Taylor explained today that he did not represent the Cherokee nation, but that branch known as the "eastern emigrant Cherokees," an offshoot of the principal national body, and including some 28,000 members. Yesterday's decision will not affect the suit instituted by his principals, Taylor insisted.

# SOVIETS PROHIBIT ARRIVAL FROM U. S.

NEW YORK, April 12—The soviet government has issued an order prohibiting anyone from the United States from crossing the borders of Russia after April 22, according to a cable message made public yesterday by Charles Recht, attorney here for the Russian soviet government.

The cablegram, received from the soviet consul at Libau, stated that all emigration from this country would be suspended after that date until an official representative of the soviet government, with authority to vise passports of persons who desire to go to Russia, arrives in the United States. No indication as to when such an official would arrive was contained in the message.


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# RULING ON DRAFTS FOR SACRAMENTAL WINE

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Drafts secured by warehouse receipts covering sacramental wine in storage are made ineligible for rediscount by Federal Reserve banks under a ruling issued today by the Federal Reserve board. The ruling, however, the board said, does not affect the legal right of a bank to make a loan upon the note of a borrower secured by a warehouse receipt covering wine in bond.

Under its regulations, the board explained, drafts eligible for rediscount, are required to be secured by a readily marketable staple. "The board does not believe," the ruling said, "that wine held in a bonded warehouse, which can be removed only for specific purposes and after complying with the requirements of the Volstead act and the regulations of the bureau of internal revenue issued thereunder, can be said to be an article of commerce subject to constant dealings in ready markets, with such frequent quotations of prices as to make the price easily ascertainable, or to make the staple easy to realize upon at any time by lawful sale."


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# One Killed, Six Injured By Explosion

AKRON, Ohio, April 12.—One man was killed and six others were injured today when an explosion wrecked the cement house of the Miller Rubber Co. Officials of the company estimated the damage at $25,000. Large quantities of gasoline and chemicals were used in this department of the factory, it is said.

# Discuss Martial Law in Greece

ATHENS, April 12.—Establishment of martial law in Greece was discussed in the chamber of deputies today. Premier Gounaris proposed consideration of the matter.

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton

"THE MISSING MONKEYS"

"THE MONKEY FAMILY IS NEXT," SAID FLIPPETY-FLAP

The fairy queen was much pleased because so many of the circus animals had returned to the Place-Where-They-Ought-to-Be.

"It certainly looks," she said to Nancy and Nick and Flippety-Flap, "as though we were going to have a real circus after all, this year. The elephant is very contented and intends to stay. Mrs. Kangaroo and Kicky Kang are more than happy since I gave each of them a new pair of boxing gloves. Gyp the Giraffe will stay forever now, and Mr. Lion and Mr. Seal will stay as long as they have such clever wives to boss them. Who is next?"

Flippety-Flap looked at the sole of his shoe. "The monkey family," said he. "They live in the fifth story of the Cocoanut-Palm-Tree hotel on the Island of Farthest-Ever. Leastways that's the address I have here, but you never can tell about them, the rascals. 'Home is where the grub is,' is their motto, so you're likely to find them wherever a good square meal happens to be growing, or a round one, or an oblong one. They're not particular."

The magical mushroom then put in an appearance. "How are the magic green shoes holding out, kiddies?" said he. "Any holes in 'em yet? That wouldn't do, you know, with so many oceans to cross on your travels."

The twins took them off and handed them over, and the magical mushroom looked at them carefully. "They are good for a spell yet," he assured them. "Perhaps two spells. And how about your language charm"

Nancy produced it, also.

"Very good, my dears. I reckon you have enough magic to coax two scatter-brained monkeys back to the circus. Goodby and good luck."

Away sailed the twins and the fairyman, Flippety-Flap.

(To Be Continued)

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## BRINDELL'S GAY ATTIRE BARRED

OSSINING, N. Y., April 12.—Two trunks filled with silk shirts of bright hue, fancy socks, and other wearing apparel of a sporty nature, which Robert P. Brindell, labor leader, convicted of extortion, brought to Sing Sing prison, yesterday were opened, repacked and shipped back to his home. Prison rules forbid the introduction and wearing of all "imported" clothing, except underwear, gray flannel shirts and socks of "quiet color."

Brindell received a visit from his counsel yesterday but several labor leaders, who have been seeking conferences with their former chief, were notified that they must wait until the expiration of the two week's probationary period.

The Brahmins believe the ruby acts as a charm against fire.

## DUCKS SHOTS AND CAPTURES MAN

BOSTON, April 12.—After watching an armed man rifle his cash register of $59, Max Molin, proprietor of a bakeshop at 675 1-2 Harrison avenue, last night chased the thief through dark alleys and lighted streets, ducked four bullets and finally landed on top of the holdup man and, with the help of a crowd, overpowered him, took his gun away, recovered his $59 and held him for the police.

At the station the captured man gave his name as Joseph Thompson, 40 years old, and said that he lived at 57 Dover street. The police think that he came from Canada. Police say he carried a 38-calibre revolver.

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# Compulsory Dress Reform in Vogue In the Walla Walla High School

MISS TUDIE M'COY, MEMBER OF THE JUDICIAL BOARD OF WALLA WALLA HIGH SCHOOL THAT SUPERVISES PUPILS' DRESS

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 12.—Compulsory dress reform in the student governed Walla Walla high school has been pronounced after a month's trial.

The pupils themselves suggested the reform and adopted it, laying down penalities that were to be imposed for infractions of the regulations. These penalties, concurred in by the faculty, usually deprived pupils of some of their leisure time between classes.

Miss Tudie McCoy, one of the nine pupils who make up the school's judicial board, says that although some of the girls of wealthy parentage revolted at first, all pupils now are carrying on the campaign in harmony.

The ban was placed on short skirts, half-hose, silk stockings and all other modes that are being criticised.

The regulations are enforced by the judicial board, composed of one member of each of the five school sororities and one elected member from each class.

The board meets weekly to consider reported violations and to fix the penalties. After three violations by a girl, the parent or guardian must appear to explain. Should there then be a fourth violation, the girl is suspended from school.

### WHAT SCHOOL GIRLS BAN

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 12.—Placed under the ban by high school girls here are:

Rolled down or half-hose.
Fancy garters worn below the knee.
Silk hose.
French heeled shoes.
Silk, velvet and georgette crepe, except simple silk waists or blouses and velvet jackets.
Thin material with too scant camisoles or underwaists.
Short or tight skirts.
Expensive or extravagant clothing in general.
Extreme styles in hairdress.
Excessive use of cosmetics.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

### B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Elsa Ryan, reminiscent of Laurette Taylor in "Peg 'o' My Heart," and indeed, a graduate of that popular play herself, is starring in a prettily devised sketch at B. F. Keith's theatre this week called "Peg For Short." Running all through it are traces of its more noted predecessor. Miss Ryan again plays the part of a vivacious young Irish woman who is proud of her nationality and never daunted by anybody's reference to it. She has the sparkling wit of her race and is never lost for an answer.

The story has to do with a noted author who is a woman-hater. Coming home to his bachelor apartments one evening he finds a young woman lying across his doorstep in a faint. He picks her up and brings her to his apartment where gradually she revives. In the meantime the author has received a telephone call supposedly from a young woman reporter of one of the big dailies seeking an interview with him. He refuses but the voice on the wire says she will be in his apartment in 20 minutes and will have received her interview.

As the affair turns out, the young woman whom he has brought to his apartment is the reporter and by cleverly drawing out the author, she obtains the desired interview and a story which will more than please her editor. When the 20 minutes are up she informs the author of her deception and then instead of going into a rage he begins to see something worth while in women after all. There's a pretty and unusual ending to the sketch.

Miss Ryan plays the part of "Peg" to perfection and delighted her audience last evening by her naive characterization of the audacious but lovable young Irish woman. Rodney Ranous as the author brings to his role perfect physical poise, an attractive voice and thorough familiarity with the things of the stage. "Peg For Short" is far above the average vaudeville sketch.

Burt Gordon and Gene Ford are a young man and woman who can draw smiles from the most sober face. The "recital classique" is the grandiose name they give their affair. The recital part of it centres chiefly around the efforts of Miss Ford to teach Gordon the rudiments of voice culture. Gordin, in turn, makes no distinction in notes but gives them all the same colorless treatment. The result is obvious—howls of laughter from the audience.

Gordon makes it unmistakably evident that he is characterizing a Hebrew youth and his good-natured way of taking rebuffs for his vocal deficiencies won him immediate friendship last evening. Miss Ford herself has an excellently developed voice and displays a personality most attractive.

Joe Rome and Lou Gaut are the extremes of physical development. One is short and the other very, very tall. They sing and dance and tumble around in most unsainly manner. Their grotesque dancing is one of the funniest things Keith's has produced in many months.

William Ely offers a surprising novelty in the line of ventriloquism. He first starts off in the stereotyped manner of his kind, but before the act is over it is discovered that his "dummy" is a real live youngster with plenty of life and pep.

The Thornton sisters in "Bits of Harmony" are "there" not only with the harmony but with beauty and ingratiating personality. They slag out of the ordinary songs and do it in an out of the ordinary way.

Peak's Educated Blockheads opened the bill in a Punch and Judy offering and the Sterlings close it with an exceptionally pretty roller skating act with electrical effects.

The Kinogram News Weekly has its usual quota of up-to-the-minute news pictures while Topics of the Day and the comedy are most entertaining.

### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"Arrah-Na-Pogue," meaning when translated from the Celtic "Arrah-of-the-Kiss," was presented by the Lowell Players in the Opera House yesterday. If the shades of Dion Boucicault, the author, had been lingering near they must have been pleased at the way in which the play was given and the hearty enthusiasm with which it was received by the audiences.

Although the author wrote many plays it is doubtful if in the whole category is a single drama that exceeds "Arrah-Na-Pogue" in its appeal to lovers of the stage. It deals with the people of the land of the shamrock. It is filled to the brim with the romance, the poetry, the love-making, the joy-making and the sorrowing that goes on with an ever present background of tragedy. Pretty colleens move back and forth with their sweethearts with the dreaded British red coats very near.

The play deals with Beamish McCoul, played by Charles L. Barton, arch rebel, who, exiled to France, has returned to his native soil to claim his bride, Fanny Power, represented by Dorothy Pembroke. A daredevil piece of robbery at night, carried out as a means of revenge upon Michael Feeny, process server and informer, played by Maxwell Driscoll, leads to many complications.

The presence of the rebel, hidden in the cabin home of Arrah Meelish—Arrah-Na-Pogue—and his gift to her of a portion of the spoils of the robbery as a wedding gift, brings the British soldiers on the scene, and to save his sweetheart, Arrah, from disaster, Shaun, the Post, takes upon himself the blame for the deed which leads to his arrest and sentence to death.

With the gallows but a few hours ahead on his path, Shaun hears the voice of his sweetheart singing in the distance. He wrenches the bars of his prison aside, makes a mighty leap that means either escape or death. In the end the tangle is straightened out. A pardon arrives for Shaun and he becomes a "prisoner for life" of Arrah-Na-Pogue.

Miss Marguerite Fields makes a picturesque and altogether pleasing Arrah. She is at her best in both the lighter scenes and in those that depict the deeper emotions. Milton Byron, as Shaun, pictures a lover of the true Irish type, brave, loyal and true, meeting the sunshine and the shadow of life with a smile and merry quip. Dorothy Pembroke, as Fanny Power, has not been seen here to better advantage than in the part that she played yesterday. Maxwell Driscoll, as Michael Feeny, the process server, is in make-up and acting, the deeply dyed villainous rogue that the author has pictured.

Every part in the play is presented with exceptional ability. The members of the cast in addition to those already mentioned are:

Giney Farrel .....Frank Ferrara
Paisey Doyle .....William Fleming
Andy Regan ..... Martin Miskell
Sergeant Atkins .....Jack Bennett
Col. Bagenal O'Grady, in love with Fanny .....Kenneth Fleming
Major Coffin, an English officer, Fred Woodbury
Katty Welsh .....Priscilla Knowles
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### THE STRAND THEATRE

"Polly With a Past" and "Extravagance" are the two headliners at the Strand theatre for the first three days of the week. The first features Ina Claire in the title role, while in the second the principal part is being sustained by the fascinating May Allison. There is also a very pleasing comedy as well as an instructive series of current events. The musical numbers by Miss Elsie Robbins, the theatre organist, are very enjoyable.

In "Polly With a Past" Ina Claire impersonates Polly Sharon, a minister's daughter from the country, who goes to a big city to study voice culture, and suddenly finds herself forced to become a housemaid. While attending to her regular duties she becomes interested in a young man, who is in love with a reformer, and in order to help him along in his love affairs, she assumes the role of a vampire. The complications that follow are most interesting inasmuch as Polly herself falls in love with the young man she is helping out and what follows can be better appreciated on the screen.

In "Extravagance" May Allison is at her best. The play unfurls the story of a young wife, who in her endeavors to climb up the social ladder, leads her husband to the brink of ruin. The story deals with Nancy Brown, daughter of a wealthy man, who marries a young lawyer not overburdened with wealth. He loves his wife and endeavors to please her at all times with the result that he is plunged into difficulties in trying to meet the expenses that she piles up. The catastrophe occurs when the young man in order to purchase an expensive home for his bride, forges a cheque, using his father's name, and faces a jail sentence. The father threatens to send his son to prison, but at the last minute gives him the alternative of allowing his wife to desert him forever or accepting what seems to be the inevitable. What follows must be seen on the screen to be appreciated.

### MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

To see William S. Hart in a western portrayal is like viewing some historic figure of a past age which has actually come to life again, so vividly real and artistic are Hart's characterizations of men of the old west. So it is with his latest production, "O'Malley of the Mounted," which was presented to an appreciative attendance at the Merrimack Square theatre yesterday.

In this thrilling photoplay Mr. Hart is seen as a member of the Royal Northwestern Mounted Police—that famous organization which long has been a source of terror to the lawless characters of the Canadian frontier because of the unfailing rule of its members—never to quit until they have captured the man or men they are sent after.

Sent forth to capture a murderer, Hart begins his quest only to find that the man whom he seeks is the brother of a woman he loves. He resigns rather than arrest the young man who, he learns, has justifiably killed a scoundrel.

In this production Hart adds another splendid characterization to his gallery of western screen portraits. The story was written by Mr. Hart and throughout its action there are thrills in abundance. Eva Novak heads a capable supporting company. The picture is well worth seeing.

Mae Murray, famous photoplay star and dancer, has been provided with a story of great dramatic power in "The Gilded Lily," the other feature of the current program at the Merrimack Square. The story fits Miss Murray like a glove and presents her in the role in which she first became famous—a dancer. All of the scenes are laid in New York.

Lily Drake, dancer at the Club Royale, is the type of girl that is all shain and rouge on the exterior, but real and true when the tarnish and tinsel are off. She is sought by many men, including a typical man about town and a youth from the country. In the contest between them to win her hand and in the final decision, the story has many an unusual twist. It is entirely original and places the photoplay in the front rank for its story value. An able cast supports Miss Murray.

A comedy, "A Wild Night," and the International News, brimming with up-to-the-minute news portrayals, are other features of the current bill.


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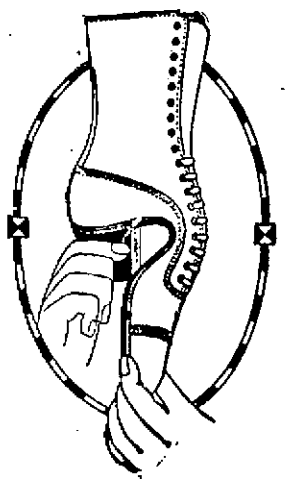

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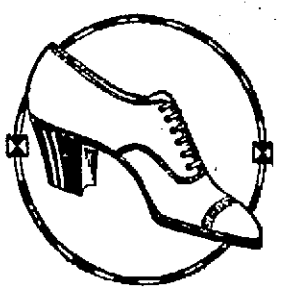

COME IN AND INSPECT THEM


## CHICAGO POLICE TO USE WIRELESS TELEPHONES

CHICAGO, April 12.—Wireless telephones are to be used by the Chicago police in their war on crime, it was announced today.

A $12,000 plant is being installed on the roof of the city hall for constant communication with rifle squads, fire boats, fire engine houses, police stations and patrol wagons. At first the terminals will have only receiving apparatus.

William G. Keith, commissioner of gas and electricity, who proposed the experiment, said today that he hoped ultimately to have every policeman equipped with receiving apparatus which weighs only a few ounces and can be concealed under his clothing.

### Y.M.C.A. CAMPAIGN FUND

At a meeting of the workers in the Y.M.C.A. campaign fund, which was held last evening in the assembly hall of the association, contributions amounting to $595 were reported, leaving but $1900 to be raised through public subscriptions. Team 21, D. M. Cameron, captain, led in the reports, the amount collected being $379, while Team 6, Capt. Otis W. Butler, came next with subscriptions amounting to $163. After all reports had been submitted a brief meeting of the directors was held with Pres. Olney in the chair and the date for the annual meeting was set as April 18, and the following nominating committee was appointed to bring in names for directors: D. M. Cameron, Robert Friend and Otis W. Butler. Interesting remarks were made by General Secretary H. F. Howe, who assured his listeners that next year will be bigger and better in association work than any other previous year.

### MAINE M. E. CONFERENCE

BIDDEFORD, Me., April 12.—Delegates to the 97th session of the Maine conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, began arriving in the city today. It is expected that some 400 will attend. The conference which will run from the 13th to the 18th inclusive, will be presided over by Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes. The program for today included examinations, with a meeting of the Sunday school workers of Biddeford and Saco, this evening.

An address by Rev. E. H. Brewster, educational secretary of the Maine State Sunday School association, dealing with Sunday school work, will be delivered at 8 o'clock.

## TO SEIZE AUTOS WITH LIQUOR IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, April 12.—New York police last night were ordered to seize all automobiles which contain liquor with or without the owner's knowledge.

Warning that the restriction would extend so far as to include "confiscation" of an auto, even though the liquor was on the person of a "guest," was issued by Deputy Police Commissioner John A. Leach, who is directing the work of the city's 1,000 policemen in enforcing the new state law putting prohibition enforcement up to the local authorities.

Sixteen persons, the first to be indicted charged with illegal liquor transactions under the new state law, were named in true bills returned yesterday by the grand jury.

The first big seizure of wines and whiskey was made by Brooklyn police, who raided a saloon, arrested the proprietor and confiscated liquor valued at from $60,000 to $100,000.

### SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

A special town meeting of the voters of Dracut will be held this evening in Grange hall, Centre village, for the purpose of taking action on the report of the board of selectmen on the proposition of dividing the town into voting precincts and other matters contained in the warrant.


## DOCTORS SAY CONSTIPATION POISONS SYSTEM

The majority of people suffer from constipation which poisons the whole system and causes coated tongues, bad headaches, foul breath; in children often results in high fever and actual illness.

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You know the symptoms of chronic constipation—sour stomach, belching, bad breath, heavy dull eyes, constant headaches, and general out-of-sorts feeling. Dr. True's Elixir will help you.—Adv.



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Scores of delicious blends of Chelmsford Ginger Ale and other Chelmsford drinks are possible. Chelmsford drinks, because of their purity and fine flavor, mix well with one another or with other beverages. We want the best recipes and we'll pay for them. Work out a recipe and send it in today.

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2. Combinations must be non-alcoholic.
3. Recipes must give exact proportions.
4. Recipes must be written on plain paper and enclosed in envelope bearing name and address of sender plainly written.
5. On each recipe must be written the name and address of dealer from whom Chelmsford Beverages were purchased.
6. Winners will be decided by a committee of three competent judges not connected in any way with the Chelmsford Spring Co. and contestants must accept their decisions as final.
7. All recipes entered are to become the property of the Chelmsford Spring Co.
8. Contest closes at midnight, April 30th, 1921.

CASH REWARDS

Best Recipe ..... $35.00
Second ..... $25.00
Third ..... $15.00

Send Your Recipes to Contest Manager
The Ginger Ale People Chelmsford, Mass.

# GROUP LIFE INSURANCE

## Eastern Mass. Trustees Submit New Terms of Agreement to Carmen

### Would Cut Wages and Make Many Other Changes —Unions to Act

BOSTON, April 12.—The trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company last night issued a statement announcing a new working agreement with the employes of the street railway system, which they offer for adoption by the several labor unions.

The new agreement makes several changes from the agreements of the past. No longer will employes be dismissed solely for violations of union rules. The Saturday half holiday is abolished as is also time and a half for Sunday and holiday work.

The summary of the agreement, as issued by the public trustees last night, is as follows:

"The joint conference board of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Car Men's union was yesterday given a draft of an agreement prepared by the public trustees and asked to submit the agreement to the local unions throughout the Bay State system for approval as soon as possible.

"In the new agreement which is to be made for one year, beginning May 2, 1921, the trustees state that the company will do nothing to prevent any employe from becoming or continuing to be a member of the union, and will not in any way discriminate against a member thereof because of such membership.

"A new provision of the proposed agreement submitted by the trustees is that all regular employes shall be provided without expense a medical examination, with group life insurance similar to that now enjoyed by the supervisory force. The amounts of this group insurance range from $500, for employes in the service one year, to $2000 for employes in the service for 10 years or more. These policies are to be given to the employes free of all conditions and restrictions.

"Wages will be restored to the scale in effect prior to May 1, 1920. Operators of one-man cars will receive 56 cents an hour.

"Instructors of operators of cars will continue to receive four cents an hour in addition to their regular pay.

"The working day of conductors and motormen and miscellaneous employes will be nine hours.

"The company will no longer dismiss an employe solely upon complaint of the union that he has violated union rules.

"Extra men called for work will continue to receive a guarantee of six hours' wages.

"The Saturday half-holiday with pay for shop employes is abolished. This company cannot afford to give half-holidays with pay. Time and a half for Sunday and holiday work and overtime to mechanical and miscellaneous employes will be discontinued for the same reason.

"Free transportation to employes, whether in uniform or not, will be continued.

"Seniority rating of regular conductors and motormen will remain unchanged, but work for men on the spare list will be assigned instead of being selected by seniority.

"Seniority rating of mechanical and miscellaneous employes will be eliminated.

"Local discipline cases will be taken up by the manager and labor representatives as in the past and appeal can be made to the public trustees, who will meet one day each month for the purpose of hearing such cases as will be referred to them.

"Changes in working conditions and wages provided for in the new agreement are made by the public trustees solely to increase efficiency and to help reduce car fares."

# MISS FLETCHER WAS ALMOST IN DESPAIR

## Palmer Girl Had Been Under Treatment Two Years But Got No Better—Gains 20 Pounds Taking Tanlac, and Health Now Perfect, She States.

Miss Edith Fletcher, daughter of a well known farmer, living at R. F. D., Palmer, Mass., made the following remarkable statement recently regarding Tanlac, the medicine that is being so widely discussed and distributed:

"I had been taking special treatments for my stomach trouble for two years, but instead of getting better I was steadily growing worse. My appetite was very poor and the little I did eat seemed to do me more harm than good. For days at a time I would have a constant pain in my side and my misery was increased by awful headaches. My back hurt me so it would nearly kill me to stoop over to pick up anything from the floor and straighten up again. I had tried so many medicines without getting help that I was almost in the depths of despair when I started taking Tanlac.

"I never saw anything to equal the change this medicine made in me in a short time. Just in a few weeks I gained 20 pounds in weight and I haven't had a pain in my side or a headache for two months. Instead of dragging myself around the house as I used to I enjoy getting out and walking for miles. I am like a different person altogether and this grand medicine is responsible for it."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by Green's drug store, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative, by Wright Drug Co., Billerica, Mass., Snow's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and by the leading druggist in every town. —Adv.


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## Fine Silk Poplin

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An unlimited amount of colors and patterns that will make handsome and durable dresses.

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**Pretty Ginghams,** 27 inches wide, remnant lengths, in light and dark colors.

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**31-in. Ginghams**—Pink, blue, green, gray, in plain colors; also blue and white or gray and white stripes.

## 19c Yard

**Bates 27-inch Gingham**—Plaids, stripes, checks, in light, medium and dark colors; 1 to 10-yard remnants.

## 25c Yard

**27-inch Bates Gingham**—In full pieces. Best quality, staple patterns, in new Spring color combinations.

## 29c Yard

**Bates Zephyr Gingham**—In handsome plaids, large or small; also stripes and plain colors. In full pieces and 33 inches wide.

DRY GOODS SECTION


## FRATERNAL NEWS

Members of Gen Adelbert Ames camp, 79, U.S.W.V., held their regular meeting in Memorial hall last evening with Commander Burns in the chair. Routine business was transacted and the following delegates were chosen to attend the state encampment to be held at Gloucester, April 17 to 19: F. R. Cheney, J. F. Murphy, F. J. Burns, S. V. Commander T. F. Conniff and J. V. Commander J. F. Murphy; alternates, R. W. Eastman, C. H. Lambert, J. W. Thompson and T. Ashworth. Past Department Commanders R. J. Crowley and E. G. Clark and Past Commanders F. Dodge, M. H. Harrington, M. C. Bentley, J. N. Craig, F. Hotchkiss, G. W. Hunt, A. D. Mitchell, B. W. Chandler, W. M. Prescott, R. Gibbons, A. B. Sanford and J. F. Crowley will also attend the state encampment as delegates.

**Loyal Integrity Lodge**

N. G. Robson J. Stone occupied the chair at the regular meeting of Loyal Integrity lodge, 6630, I.O.O.F., M.U., which was held last evening in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. Committee reports were given and routine business was transacted. It was voted to send a challenge to Merrimack valley lodge to play a game of whist at the meeting of May 20. William Pushee was appointed master to make arrangements for degree work. At the close of the business session a social hour was enjoyed during which entertainment numbers were given by A. W. Henderson, P. G. Willis Bowles, Earle Fruean, Robert Stead and Thos. Paul.

**Div 8, A.O.H.**

At the regular meeting of Div. 2, A.O.H. held last evening in A.O.H. hall, Middle street, the sum of $200 was voted for the Irish Relief fund. The meeting was presided over by President Michael J. Monahan and routine business was transacted. President Monahan and John Sullivan were appointed to attend the meetings of the Irish Relief fund committee and to assist them in raising Lowell's quota, $15,000.

**Central Council, A.O.H**

At the last meeting of Central council, A.O.H. the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: M. J. Monahan, president; Joseph McOsker, vice president; Thomas Dorsey, treasurer; John Barrett, secretary; Joseph F. Garrity, custodian of property and janitor. Other business was transacted and then there were remarks by John J. Murphy, John Sullivan and President Monahan.

## ADMIRAL DECKER TO WED MRS. CROSSMAN

NEWTON, April 12.—Marriage intentions by Rear Admiral Benton C. Decker of Newport, R. I., and Mrs. Alice K. Crossman of this city, filed in this city, became known today. Admiral Decker gave his age as 53 and Mrs. Crossman as 51. Each has been married and divorced. No date has been set for the marriage. Mrs. Crossman is a daughter of former Mayor James W. M. Hall of Cambridge.


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## VISITED SOLDIERS AT GROTON HOSPITAL

The welfare committee of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion, together with a number of popular Lowell entertainers visited the ex-soldiers' hospital at Groton Sunday afternoon. A very pleasing program was carried out by the following: Solos, Mr. Edward Donohoe; recitation, Mr. James Coughlin; solos and folk dances, Miss Peggy O'Reilly; solos, Mrs. Chas. Young. Miss Vera Curran accompanied on the piano. Fruit and smokes furnished by the auxiliary were taken to the boys. Mrs. Chas. Young, Mrs. C. Hewitt, Mrs. Wm. Merritt and Miss Helen Haggerty had charge of arrangements. The auxiliary wishes to thank those who so generously provided automobiles for the trip.

**THE LOWELL GUILD**

The report of the Lowell guild for the past month as submitted by the superintendent is as follows:

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| Total Metropolitan policy-holder patients cared for during month | 113 |
| Total paying and free patients | 88 |
| Total patients cared for | 201 |
| Total Metropolitan policy-holder visits | 502 |
| Total free and paying visits | 396 |
| Total visits in March | 898 |

Baby hygiene report:

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| Total babies under care during March, 1921 | 554 |
| Number of home visits | 902 |
| Number of clinics | 13 |
| Total attendance at clinics | 465 |

**FOUND OLD DOCUMENTS**

While giving the town hall its annual spring cleaning a few days ago, Benjamin Hutchins, custodian of the hall in Billerica Centre, found a number of old unlisted documents, such as letters and statements rendered to officers of the town and dating back to 1805. The papers were turned over to the board of selectmen, who in turn will present them to the Billerica Historical society.

## Humor and Common Sense

Continued

himself unable to agree with this conception of the word. "War, murder, ingratitude,—these are not for the best," he said, but added that he was not surprised at the failure of the dictionary to satisfy him, "because it was compiled by intellectual people. And people who are purely intellectual are never intelligent. So I decided that I would go to the people. You know, today everything the people thinks is right, whether it is wrong or not." Mr. Bangs went to Nathan Haskell Dole, and besought him for a definition of optimist. The reply he received was, "the optimist sees the doughnut, the pessimist sees the hole." This notion didn't prove adequate, for the speaker gave it as his opinion that the only optimistic part of a doughnut is the hole. He then repaired to his club, "composed of a rollicking bunch of octogenarians," and there he found that an optimist was looked upon much as an imbecile would be regarded. "They seemed to feel," he said, "that since America has ceased to be fluid, it has ceased to be solid. Their idea seemed to be that since the passage of a certain constitutional amendment, all that the fathers of the country gave us has been lost.

**Buying Corkscrews**

These fellows told me that an optimist is a chap who is still buying corkscrews. An Irishmen whom I interviewed offered me his idea in the form of a story. He told me about a man who fell from a high building and who called out to a stenographer on the thirteenth floor, as he passed, 'Well, I'm all right so far.' But that kind of optimism, I thought, was a foolish sort. Finally, as I was travelling on a train, it occurred to me to ask the Pullman porter. In all my years of experience as a tourist, I never had asked a question of one of these gentlemen, without getting an answer. So I asked the porter if he knew what an optimist is. He replied that he should say he did, that he had to go to one three times a month. Then he explained that he thought an optimist was a man who fixed your eyes,—who made you see things a little better. After I had meditated upon this reply for a time, it appeared to me that here was a better definition of an optimist than anyone else had been able to offer me. An optimist is a man who helps you to see things a little better. I began to experiment, to play with words, as has been my profession for years; and finally I evolved the definition of an optimist as a man who sees best because he sees hopefully. I sprung this on my club, and they wanted to know how I could be optimistic with 75,000 American boys dead on the fields of France. They asked how I could be optimistic when the pulpit confines itself to sophomoric essays on points of doctrine, and when the poets, confronted with epic times, are unable to rise to the occasion, and write only free verse because they are too lazy to study rules of their profession. They dared me to deny that there are plenty of intelligent pessimists, and demanded an explanation of that fact."

**Front Page Stories**

Mr. Bangs said he told his companions that "that is easy." He picked up a newspaper and told them he was going to conduct a little test. On the front page of the paper he picked up, he told his hearers, there were sixteen items, and of this number, fourteen were sufficient to cause pessimism in any heart. One was optimistic, and the other was fifty-fifty, depending on how you looked at it. Murder, arson, loot, treason, and scandal, together with betrayals of trust, filled the columns. "The average human being, reading such things at breakfast," said the speaker," reacts to them. They are his immediate environment, and they color his thinking during the day. From these items he sees the world as wholly abandoned. The only optimistic article on that page was one which told of mill hands kicking out their vicious leader, and voluntarily asking for a 20 per cent. reduction in their wages, that the mill might not close down. If labor could get rid of its vicious leaders by dropping them into the sea, and capitalists could put the bad ten per cent. of their personnel out of the way, the capital-labor controversy would be solved."

Returning to his theme of the part played by the newspapers in producing gloom, he again called attention to the great preponderance of unpleasant news stories on the front page of a newspaper picked up at random. "But we can't blame the newspapers," he went on, "they print such things on their front pages, because they have the news value of the unusual. The crime of a prominent man is of more news value than his good deeds, because it is unexpected. It is the last thing anyone would expect him to do. While we read the papers, with their rehearsal of crime, we do not pause to think that these are the unusual things, the extraordinary things."

**Judge Too Hastily**

The speaker then continued by adding another reason for general pessimism. "We make up our minds too hurriedly," he declared, "and we judge our fellow men too hastily." He then related to his audience an encounter which he had years ago with a disreputable-looking tramp, and he said that this meeting had cured him of snap judgments. The tramp, at first seemingly a loathsome specimen of humanity, revealed to his amazement a startling knowledge of literature and the other arts. He was an admirer of the pre-Raphaelite movement, it appeared,—a disciple of Dante, Gabriel Rossetti, of his sister, Christina Rossetti, and of Sir Philip Burne-Jones. He could criticize understandingly the work of James MacNeil Whistler. In brief, he was a charming fellow. "Since then," feelingly declared the speaker, "I have never judged a man without looking below the surface. Through my interest in the work of Thomas Mott Osborne, I have delivered lectures to audiences of convicts, and I have found that there never were even bankers or burglars in which one could not find the seeds of character. But, after all is said, the optimism of America depends on religion. My optimism is based on my religion. Now I am not a bigot. But I have no use for any man's religion that doesn't comprise three tenets, namely, faith in God, faith in his country and faith in his fellow man. My faith in man is based on personal contact with them. I have met the boys who fought for civilization, and as for the women, there are the eight millions of American women who worked for the Red Cross during the war. I do not base my idea of women from the gum-chewing flapper, but upon such devoted girls as now are in devastated France carrying the heart of America as surely as General Pershing carried its might."


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## PRES. HARDING'S PROBLEMS

Again the republican party is placed at the helm of the ship of state after an interregnum of eight years. The party returns to power with the largest majority on record in both houses and with an array of questions to be settled that will test the capacity of all the ablest men not only in congress but in the party and in the country regardless of party.

The Wilson administration had the patriotism of the nation behind it for the greater part of the time during the past four years, so that even the prosecution of the war was a comparatively easy matter. Now that the war is over, that the war measures have been repealed, the Harding regime is face to face with problems of reconstruction on which there is the greatest difference of opinion even among republicans.

Among the more pressing problems is the railroad labor problem now threatening bankruptcy of the roads unless the wages of employes be cut to an extent which the employes will not tolerate without a strike. It is true that the war is over; but the war administration had comparatively smooth sailing compared to the reefs and shoals ahead of the Harding regime. The last congress had to deal with problems on which the people were very largely united and it had autocratic laws to enforce its will.

Then there is widespread unemployment throughout the country and the administration is expected to do something to start up business. It will have to deal with the tariff in an emergency measure for the benefit of the farmers while the manufacturers of the country are much in conflict as to what they should have in the line of protection. It appears that the tariff that would satisfy them would kill our foreign trade and leave our merchant marine idle. There is also loud complaint from the industries against the taxation system that will have to be revised before we can hope for a healthy recovery of business.

Another problem is to decide what is best to do for the soldiers. So many promises have been made by the republicans that something must be done and that soon if the party is not to go back on its pledges.

All these are domestic questions but still more momentous is that of concluding peace with Germany and taking some definite attitude toward international peace or the League of Nations projected for that purpose but failing utterly to fulfill its original purpose.

The question whether we shall have an international association to promote peace or whether we shall pursue our course and look out for ourselves is one of the great problems which President Harding and his cabinet will have to decide in the near future.

Peace by resolution appears to be the course favored; but what will follow that has not been even definitely suggested. The one thing that offers hope of effective work is the overwhelming republican majority in either branch of congress so that both can sweep aside any partisan or ill-timed opposition to any measure in congress or any policy advanced by President Harding. Therefore, quick work may be expected at least on domestic questions. It remains to be determined whether President Harding is a man who will follow his own views on these important issues or subordinate his judgment to that of the "best minds." Secretary Hughes and Secretary Hoover are the strong men of the cabinet and although Mr. Root is outside, it is likely that he will have a hand in the international settlement. He may be the Mr. House of the present administration, so far as the formation of some definite international peace association is concerned.

The country is with Harding in his efforts to solve all these problems and it is hoped that wise decisions will be reached in each and every case without undue delay.

## OUR COAL EXPORTS

This nation cannot be indifferent to the great upheaval now threatened in England as the strike would soon increase the price of coal in this country. Last year ten million tons of American coal went to Europe and should a coal strike occur now, it would cause a demand for coal from our mines comparable to that of war days.

When the prices of coal soared last year, the profiteers were blamed and correctly so; but part of the reason for the high prices was, that we had to compete with foreigners for our coal supply and the speculators and operators sold to the parties that paid the highest price.

Coal is the mainstay of England's industrial life. Her output last year was 228,000,000 tons. This enabled her to export 2,000,000 tons a month and to control much of the world's ocean bunkerage in distant ports. If the British mines shut down for any prolonged period, it would give a great impetus to the American coal business and would start up many mines now idle. In such an eventuality it would be the duty of the government to see that the American consumer should be protected against another period of profiteering and skyhigh prices.

## LABOR AND EDUCATION

Laboring men have for a number of years been waking up to the fact that one of the mightiest levers that moves the world is education. They have often found that they were at a disadvantage in struggling to better their condition by lack of the training that was in the hands of those who opposed them.

Recently plans have been perfected for the opening in New York state of what is called the "first resident workers' college in America." It is designed to serve the educational needs of the toilers. It is announced that propaganda is not to have any part in its curriculum, and that its sole purpose is to furnish trained leaders for those who toil with their hands for a living.

Those behind the movement for starting the new institution claim that in the colleges now in existence the teaching is biased, and that the workers' side of economic problems does not get a fair presentation. It may be questioned how much of truth there is in this assertion. It is a fact, of course, that the instructors in the older institutions, as a rule, are not men who have come into intimate contact with the workers or had an opportunity to learn from experience of the problems that confront them. In the older colleges, too, environment of the teaching forces is generally such as to incline the instructors to take the more conservative view of economic questions.

There is, of course, no basis for a charge that the older colleges distort their teachings to bolster up any particular class. There are abundant evidences that in our leading institutions of learning a wide latitude is given to the expression of personal views of those holding teaching positions. Some of the most radical social reformers have held college diplomas.

## TEXTILE OUTLOOK BETTER

From interviews obtained from local mill men last week, it appears that a majority of them expect an early improvement in the textile industry. The prospect of greater activity in some factories within the next week or two is very encouraging. The mills are doing their utmost to get business started up; but when orders are not received from the wholesalers, they cannot afford to fill their storehouses with finished products at a time when prices are tumbling. It seems that the prices must very soon reach the lowest limit, after which there is likely to be a rebound upward in some commodities.

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Police Commissioner Curtis of Boston is having trouble with his new police force. Within a week one was arrested for breaking and entering and burglary and another taken from his beat in an advanced state of intoxication. After all, it is discovered that to advertise for police recruits throughout the state is not an ideal method of building up a reliable metropolitan force.

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How unfortunate that Safe Roads week should wind up with two serious auto accidents, in one of which a man was killed and in the other a boy suffered a fracture of the skull. Strange, surely, that despite the appeals in the press and the speeches at the theatres, there should be two such serious accidents. Nevertheless, the good work must go on until reckless drivers and careless pedestrians are driven from the highways.

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Ex-Senator Gore is a polished orator whose command of language and expressive delivery make him a very impressive and effective public speaker. His address at the Opera House Sunday afternoon was a forceful and sympathetic appeal in behalf of the movement to help relieve the distress in Ireland.

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It is claimed that carbon monoxide, discharged by autos, may in time accumulate in the air in sufficient quantities to endanger health. We shall, continue a while longer, though, to fear the man whose machine just grazes us as we cross the street as a greater menace to our physical well-being.

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We are to have a zoo at Fort Hill park where a real live bear is hereafter to share the honors with the deer family in forming a popular attraction. The monotony had become unbearable.

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It may or may not have any bearing on conditions in Lowell and Boston, but it is interesting to note that New York city's transit lines carried nearly 300,000,000 more passengers last year than the year before and for a five-cent fare.

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We used to pity poor tax-ridden Europe, but, after the republican congress gets through with its income-raising schemes, we are likely, if we have any tears to shed, to save them for ourselves.

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Smile sweetly at the man with the note book and pencil, madame; drop off ten or fifteen years from your age if you wish; we do not believe there is an assistant assessor in town ungallant enough to dispute you.

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It may almost be taken for granted that a man, arrested for a comparatively unimportant crime, who confesses to being an accessory to murder, is practicing a familiar trick of "throwing dust" in people's eyes.

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The fact that "Macbeth" is to be produced in Paris shows that the French have an appreciation for something better than the bathroom drama even if some Americans have not.

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It may occur to some Englishmen just now, having in mind past happenings in Ireland, India, Egypt and other parts of the world, that "whatsoever a nation soweth that shall it also reap."

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A Boston speaker says that our world war soldiers "lacked moral sentiment." They had their moral, and several other kinds of courage with them though.

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Senator Cummins wants the railroad situation investigated. Why not make such investigations a continuous performance?

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Some people were born to make trouble, and one of the ways in which they fulfill their destiny is by making unwise speeches.

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Now it is Lawrence that is asking for a five-cent fare and it is likely to get it, as Lowell did—just where the chicken and the axe connected.

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One interpretation of Professor Einstein's theory is that if we smashed all of our clocks and watches, time would cease to be.

## SEEN AND HEARD

The world's greatest philanthropists are those who give out of their poverty.

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Standard oil of Nebraska declares 200 per cent stock dividend. Times are hard.

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Tobacco man says Julius Caesar smoked weeds. This proves that the world never changes.

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Hat checker says he wouldn't mind prohibition if it hadn't taken all the quarters out of circulation.

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Many city men are sure they can do better farming 40 acres than gardening a 40-foot backyard.

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You never know how beautiful this country is until you look at pictures in a railway time-table.

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The ideal smoking costume for women, observes the Philadelphia Public Ledger would be a Havana wrapper with panatellas.

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Bill Woods says the best way to revive a drowning person is to give him a sip of brandy and then call out the militia to keep the crowd back.

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"The obnoxious effort of girls to attract attention by the short dress craze," says Pauline Lord, famous actress, "is upsetting to thoughtful people."

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Burlesque actors say they are playing to small audiences. There's a barometer of business conditions that beats financial experts.

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Three hundred breweries, quoth Sandy Dunn, are clamoring for the privilege of making beer for medicinal purposes, but millions are clamoring for the privilege of drinking it.

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**Profiteer's Dilemma**

A profiteer bought a wonderful country home and set about making it even more wonderful, according to his own ideas. One of his suggestions was a fish pond which should contain eels.

"But you can't keep eels in a pond," objected his neighbor, to whom he had confided his idea. "They have to go down to the sea every year, you know."

"Well, I won't have 'em," gasped the profiteer; "I always take the missus and kids every year, but I ain't going to take no eels."

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**Regular "Blind Pigs"**

Out in Sacramento, Cal., prohibition officers swooped down on a ranch and located several dozen sure 'nough blind pigs in close connection with a 1000-gallon cache of wine in the barn. The pigs were blind drunk. The P. O.s had smashed in the barrels with their trusty axes and allowed the high voltage fluid to drain into the barnyard where the porkers began sipping and wallowing in it with grunts of bacchanalian delight. One of the pickled porkers tried to climb a crab-apple tree. A little razor-back runt challenged a big tusker to mortal combat. And the sport reached high pitch when two of the hitherto best behaved ham providers calmly began chewing the ears off fellow revelers who lay stupefied in the primevil ooze. Then the P. O.s rushed in and routed the whole lot and passed into an adjoining dry pen where they regarded the officers with mean and reproving eye. "S-s-swine!" stuttered one of the cask wreckers. "Sure it's wine," snorted his fellow wrecker. "What did you think it was!"

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**Philosophy**

I don't like Bill Bartholomew,
He's pleasant-like and friendly, too,
But something seems to say to me
He ain't the man he seems to be.
I know he teaches Sunday school,
And advocates the Golden Rule
And speaks of Brother this and that,
But here's the p'int I'm gettin' at—
I've noticed every dog he meets
On country roads or in the streets,
Gives Bill one look and slinks away—
That don't look good for Bill, I say.

Then there's the preacher, Ogden Stokes,
Who's made a hit with lots of folks.
He's educated, you can see,
And polished to a high degree.
And I must say, he's got a plan
To help the Brotherhood of Man,
That seems all right, no doubt it be,
But here's the thing that puzzles me—
The children quit their play in fear
And seem to dread him comin' near—
He may be right with lots of folks,
But I'm not trustin' Ogden Stokes.

There's Emmett Drew—a failure, yes—
If earthly goods are meant, I guess;
But every dog in Emmett's sight
Nigh wags his tail off in delight.
And children greet him as a friend,
And tag about him without end.
His own—some eight or ten, or more—
Watch every evening at the door—
And when he comes in sight, they race
To plant the first kiss on his face.
On Judgment day, I'm bettin', folks,
He outranks Bill and Ogden Stokes.
—Griff Crawford in Kansas City Star.

## MAN ABOUT TOWN

Lowell people who are interested in astronomical subjects will undoubtedly look forward with anticipation to the eclipse of the moon, which is scheduled to take place at midnight, Thursday, April 21. The eclipse will be visible not only in Lowell, but throughout the United States. It will begin a few minutes before midnight and will continue to grow greater until 2.23 a. m., when the eclipse will be complete. The total eclipse will continue for 42 minutes. Near the moon at this time will be the brilliant star, Spica, and astronomers tell me that the combination of the eclipse and the proximity of the star will result in a heavenly spectacle of an unusually beautiful nature and one well worth giving up a few minutes' sleep to witness.

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A neat cardboard folder was placed in my hands the other day bearing upon its cover the inscription, "With the Compliments of the Sheriff of Middlesex County." It carries a list of the officials of the county. Included are the names of jurors now serving in the superior court. Opposite the name of one of them the occupation is given as "bartender." It has puzzled a number of other people besides myself to know exactly what the work of a bartender is in these days of supposedly bone dryness. Another member of the jury has his occupation given as "selectman." Does that mean that the man in question has deliberately picked out the job of being selectman as his life vocation? But there are many curious occupations in the world. I remember walking along the streets of Boston some time ago when I saw a sign "Chimney Sweep" on a basement place of business. With visions of the unfortunate, half-starved little lads that I had come to picture as chimney sweeps from the books that I had read I entered the place and found an aged man with hair and beard as white as snow. He was the chimney sweep, and he told me that for many years he had cared for the chimneys in the homes of some of Boston's leading citizens in which wood or cannel coal was commonly burned in the fireplaces. Here in Lowell is a concern that carries on a business that I think is not common. It makes a specialty of mending fabrics by taking threads from it and weaving them into holes in such a way that the patching is invisible. Perhaps it is not such a very remarkable occupation, but here in Middlesex county is a concern of considerable size that makes a specialty of turning out antique furniture wholesale. You can order a chair that came over in the Mayflower from the proprietor if you wish.

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# SOLDIER RELIEF BUREAU

## Several Bureaus to Be Combined—Sweet Bill Takes Precedence Over Rogers'

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.—It will be nip and tuck which bill for consolidation of the soldier relief measures wins out at the special session of congress. The first bills to drop into the legislative hopper today were measures pertaining to soldier relief and welfare. One of the first was a re-introduction of the Rogers bill for consolidation of war risk insurance, vocational education and such part of the public health service as pertains to veterans. That bill received warm support from the American Legion and other organizations and was approved by many Americans of congress last year when Mr. Rogers introduced it in the house. Then the bill went before the committee on interstate commerce and the hearings continued so long that the session ended with the bill still in the committee where it expired by limitation.

But other bills of the same nature are to be submitted. The Wason bill is to be again put before congress and Mr. Sweet of Iowa, a member of the committee, was on hand at the opening of the session with a bill covering the Rogers bill and "then some" ready to drop it in the little wicker basket on the speaker's desk, familiarly known as "the hopper."

The Sweet bill not only advocates the consolidation of the war risk, the vocational training and certain phases of the public health service, but it goes many steps further and includes the National Soldiers' homes and the pension bureau. Mr. Sweet's idea is to put under one bureau and in one building all matters pertaining to ex-soldiers. He calls his bill the veterans bureau bill and its title tells the whole story in a nut-shell, for he proposes to make one department and one bureau deal with every phase of the ex-soldier situation. The Sweet bill is likely to have the right of way for early consideration by the committee, as a matter of courtesy to one of its members, and will moreover go before congress as a committee bill, which will gain its support. Mr. Sweet states he has embodied many of the best points of the Rogers bill in the new bill, but at the same time it is certain that if Mr. Rogers puts his new bill before congress it will stand on very firm ground, for it met with tremendous favor last year. The conditions of the Rogers bill are already well known, but the Sweet bill has these new features. It puts the veterans' bureau under the treasury department with an assistant secretary as director, whose salary will be $10,000. It is divided into two separate divisions, one the administration which looks after affairs in Washington, the other the field division which cares for all matters outside of Washington. Each division to have an assistant director whose salary will be $7500. The bill does away with the pension bureau and its director, and also the director of war risk, and it takes from the department of the interior and the department of war whatever powers they now have over the veteran relief or pension work, and puts them into the treasury. Bringing the soldiers' homes and pensions under the same management as war risk, etc. results in collecting all data, funds, working staff and responsibility under one bureau head and under one roof. It does not interfere or do away with any department or bureau already in existence except such as have to do with veteran relief work. "The bill is designed," said Mr. Sweet today, "to protect, aid and benefit the veterans. Its title tells the whole story. It is a veterans' bureau and nothing else."

The New England members of the committee by which the measures must be considered before they can reach the house are Winslow of Massachusetts, chairman; Merritt of Connecticut; Burroughs of New Hampshire and Sitness of Rhode Island, all of whom have from time to time expressed themselves as strongly in favor of consolidation of authority and other changes which will tend to hasten and improve federal work done for the benefit of war veterans and their families.

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**AERIAL TORPEDO BOATS**

LONDON, April 12.—The air ministry is constructing winged torpedo boats. They can fly or swim—swoop down on battleships like a bird of prey, fire a torpedo and soar away.


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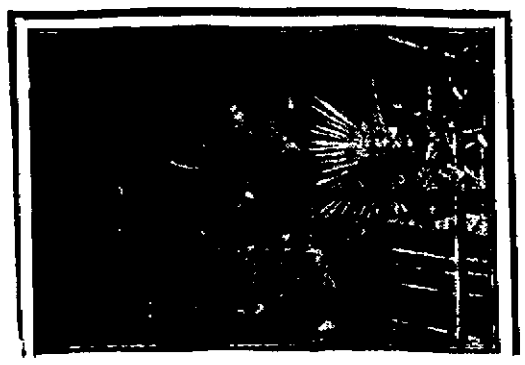

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# THE IRISH RELIEF FUND

## Lowell Campaign Committee Votes to Carry on Work Through Organization

The Lowell committee in charge of the campaign to raise $45,000 for Irish relief held another enthusiastic meeting in Elks' hall last evening to further plans for the drive here.

It was voted to carry on the work of raising the fund through various organizations and reports from a number of the societies represented at the meeting indicated that a program of events to raise money has already been outlined by them.

The committee voted to thank the press and other associations and individuals who helped to make Sunday's big meeting at the Opera House a success.

The following committee was appointed to act in conjunction with the various organizations in raising money and to solicit downtown business men: Peter McKenna, James O'Sullivan, Fred H. Rourke, J. J. McOsker, Joseph Lamoureux, James Droney, Mrs. Craven, Frank P. McGilly and Miss Maria Markham. Thomas Daly, Miss Gaffney and Miss Susie Ryan were appointed a committee to arrange for the distribution and sale of White Cross cards.

William Walsh said that the Broadway club is making arrangements to canvass all their members and residents of that section of the city and a communication from the local aerie of Eagles offered the use of Eagles' hall to the committee any evening that Elks' hall is engaged. Joseph Lamoureux, treasurer of the C. M.A.C., said his organization was behind the campaign to the limit and expressed the need of hasty action if the relief work is to be of avail.


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# STREET WORK PROGRAM

## Contract Labor Not as Good as City Labor, Says Mr. Murphy

Street Commissioner Murphy appeared before the board of directors of the Lowell Chamber of Commerce at the regular meeting of that body, held yesterday.

Mr. Murphy gave a statement of his program of work as announced in the papers, stating that it was not an iron-bound program or contract with the people and it might be subject to changes, and if the work could be done cheaper than had been estimated, additional work would be done. First street was included as one to be repaired, but if the program of the state for the completion of First street boulevard is better, the appropriation will be used for other work in the city.

Mr. Murphy was asked if he had considered the recommendations of the chamber of commerce, that the present methods of street construction be supplemented with a program for each year and that the city enter into contracts with road building concerns to carry out the work, and was also asked what were his objections to this plan. Mr. Murphy stated that the report sent from the chamber of commerce was not the one he anticipated. He did not look at it, he said, because he was busy with the budget and was subsequently ill. He had only gone over it that morning. He stated that he did not know just what was meant by supplementary arrangements for each year, stating that if this meant the contract feature he would say that, from his opinion and experience, the city would be the loser in the end. "Contract labor has no comparison with city labor. Even in Boston, the work done by contract labor does not compare with the work done by city laborers. It does not last so long. There are no streets in the country any better than our own in regard to paving jobs," continued Commissioner Murphy.

Mr. Murphy was asked if his estimate for paving with concrete blocks this year was approximately $10 per square yard. He replied in the affirmative. He was then asked if he would not favor entering into a contract for the work as it was done in Pawtucket and he replied that if there was such a ridiculous difference between the cost of city labor and contract labor as in Pawtucket, he would consider the proposition but would have to talk it over with his own men and would also have to see if the quality of the work was the same as had been done in Lowell. Mr. Murphy further stated that if the work could be done by contract for approximately 33 1-3 per cent. less than it could be done by his department, he might favor having the work done by contract.

In reply to a question Mr. Murphy stated that he was obliged to employ his laborers from the civil service list. He stated that in many cases it would be better if he did not have the civil service regulations. Concluding the discussion on the civil service Mr. Murphy stated that he believed it should be abolished as far as his department was concerned.

The question was then asked if the commissioner had considered the suggestion of the chamber of commerce in placing repair crews in the various sections of the city to see if the streets in each district be maintained in good condition. In reply Mr. Murphy stated that he had considered the suggestion. He stated that more material had been used for patching purposes during the last two years than for several years before he took office. He stated he had more men employed on repair work than for several years prior to his election as commissioner. The directors and Mr. Murphy discussed at length the matter of repairing the streets but the commissioner did not think that any improvement could be made upon his present plan without employing additional crews and teams to cover the streets.

Part of Central st. was done by contract, but you must remember that our own men did the work and were simply paid by the contractor. The contractor showed the men how to do it.

Mr. William Goodell explained that the chamber of commerce committee had in mind that under the contract work the laborers would be Lowell men, not men brought here from outside by the contractors, and that could be possible by making such provision in the contract entered into by the city and the contracting concern.

Mr. Murphy stated that it was his intention to write to those communities which had been quoted in the report of the chamber of commerce to secure information on what basis the statements were made. He said that he had talked with the street commissioner in Lawrence and the commissioner stated that he had arrived at the figures given in the chamber by guess-work. He also stated that in Lowell the curb had been moved and the sidewalks repaired as a result of the road work which was charged to paving. In Lawrence money for repair of sidewalks and curbs is not charged to the fund for road work.

**Granite Block Paving**

Mr. Murphy was asked what the granite paving blocks cost last year. He replied that he could not give the figures as he did not look it up. He stated that he left the matter of figures to the city engineer. He thought that an estimate had been made and it was in the engineer's office. He was asked if the fact that Pawtucket, R. I., in 1919, laid new granite blocks similar to the work done in Lowell last year for $3.75 per square yard, work being done by contract, would not this show that the work might be done at a less expense by contract in Lowell? Mr. Murphy stated, "If that is a fact it might show such a thing, but I'd be willing to wager, however, that no contractor could lay paving at that price. I don't think it can be done." He further stated that he did not believe the $3.95 included the cost of the concrete base or re-cutting of blocks. In reply to a question, Mr. Murphy stated that the cost of laying a six-inch concrete base would be approximately $0.50 per square yard.

Secretary Wells was then asked to telephone to George A. Carpenter, city engineer of Pawtucket, and ascertain if the contract price of $3.75 included the cost of laying a concrete base. Mr. Carpenter replied that it did, that the $3.75 included the entire cost of paving with recut granite blocks.

The question was asked that if the paving work was done by contract if it would not release the teams and men now employed by the city on paving work to be used for the maintenance and upkeep of the roads in good condition at the present.

"That is logical," replied Mr. Murphy, "but I disagree with contract work; I have no respect for it." He further stated contract work will not be any cheaper than the regular city labor and "you can't get any paving concern in the country that will do work any better than the city." There is no paving in the country any better than that done in Lowell. In reply to a question by one of the directors, Mr. Murphy stated that street work in Lowell had fallen behind during the last five years; he stated that it could not be helped because the city could not get material.

**Highway Engineer**

The question was asked if it would not be an economical proposition to bring a highway engineer to Lowell to supplement the survey made by the chamber of commerce and to ascertain what it would cost to put all of the streets in Lowell in first class condition. Mr. Murphy stated that the city has an engineering force of its own and he would not want to pay for the survey out of his department. He agreed that it was a good proposition but added that there was at present enough work to do.

The matter of securing specification for the laying of granite block pavement from the engineer's office in order that they might be compared with those of other cities such as Pawtucket, R. I., was discussed. Mr. Murphy stated that the engineer could to a certain degree give the specifications.

It was decided by the board of directors that the chamber of commerce should secure these specifications and compare them with the specifications of the work done in other cities by contract and ascertain, if possible, the price for which the same work could be done in Lowell by contract.

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# U. S. ARMY AIR SERVICE COST $598,090,781

NEW YORK, April 12.—Expenditures of the United States for the army air service during the war, often placed by critics of the service at more than $1,000,000, actually amounted to a net outlay of $598,090,781, it is shown in a letter from Major H. M. Hickam, chief of the information group in the air service to the Aviation and Air Craft Journal.

The letter, embraced in an article which that magazine will publish this week, declares that after two years of settling claims, adjusting cancelled contracts and liquidation, the air service has returned to the United States treasury $532,564,781 of the appropriations made for it by congress.

"The actual amounts appropriated for the army air service during the war aggregated $1,657,654,756," the article says.

"From this total there were revoked by congress sums aggregating $457,000,000, making the net amount available for expenditure by the war department $1,200,654,756.

"Until now the charge has been made and the public has been led to believe that most of this money was spent and largely wasted.

"The amount actually expended from the money appropriated for the war department for the air service, in this country and abroad during the war, was $617,489,977. From this has been deducted $19,399,196 realized by sales of surplus material."

From July 1, 1917, to March 31, 1919, the period of war contracts, it adds, there was delivered to the army 13,894 complete airplanes with spare parts, and 41,353 aeronautical engines and spare parts.

## STILL CROWDS PLATE

### Bean Ball Victim Thinks Fate Protects Him

BY DEAN SNYDER

Chick Fewster, star Yankee infielder, who was hit by a beam ball last year, is crowding the plate as much as ever this spring.

"I'll never be beaned again," says Fewster.

"Fate doesn't permit such accidents to happen twice.

"It's true I crowd the plate.

"I take a crouched position at bat so that my head is directly over the plate.

"A pitched ball aimed directly at my head would usually be a strike.

**Duck Fast Ones**

"I duck the 'dusters' and let 'em shoot past my head.

"The good ones I nail."

Fans have speculated much on Fewster's case.

Last spring at Jacksonville, Fla., Fewster was beaned by Jeff Pfeffer, Brooklyn pitcher.

His skull was fractured. For hours he lay unconscious. His life was despaired of.

For weeks he could not talk.

A piece of his skull about the size of a dollar was removed.

Fewster is now a normal person.

**Wears Steel Plate**

He wears his cap well down on the side of his head. Just inside the cap is a steel plate which protects the spot where the portion of skull was taken away.

"I've no recollection of ever seeing Pfeffer wind up to throw the ball that hit me," says Fewster.

"He had just slipped a fast one by me.

"I was thinking to myself that this fellow has something and that I'd better watch him. Then everything got black."

The first time Fewster faced Pfeffer this spring he lined out a three-base hit.

By coincidence Fewster again batted against Pfeffer on the anniversary of the day of the accident. He got three hits.

CHICK FEWSTER

ILLUSTRATION SHOWS HOW HE CHOKES HIS BAT AND CROUCHES OVER PLATE, MAKING HIS HEAD A TARGET FOR PITCHERS.

**BOWLING MATCH**

A bowling match between teams representing the Girls' City club and the Lowell Y.W.C.A. will be staged tomorrow evening at the alleys of the local American Legion post, on Dutton street. The affair will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Clothing designs for pet dogs are made up by Parisian tailors.


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**CAPTAIN OF YALE TEAM**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 12.—Re-election of A. P. Walker, Jr., of Pelham Manor, N.Y., as captain of the Yale fencing team, was announced today. During the past winter, the team was defeated only once in six dual meets.

**"EDDIE" COURTNEY DEAD**

SARANAC LAKE, N.Y., April 12.—Daniel Courtney of Worcester, Mass., known on the vaudeville stage as "Eddie" Courtney, died here yesterday, aged 29 years.

## Schoolboys Meet

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class A; 220-yard dash, class B; one-half mile, one class only; relay race, 4 boys, one class only; shot put, one class only, 12-lb. shot; running broad jump, class A; running broad jump, class B; running high jump, class A; running high jump, class B; pole vault, class A; pole vault, class B.

The rules for the event are as follows: Two classes, one for boys weighing over 100 pounds, called Class A; one for boys weighing 100 pounds or under, called Class B; no entry fees but entries should be all in by the 15th. Preliminaries should be conducted by each school to determine their very best athletes in each class. Please note that there will be no shotput or half mile for the smaller boys. In the half mile an M.D.'s signature is necessary, saying that a boy is in condition to run this event. Boys should be at the Eliot school basement, corner of Summer and Favor streets, by 8.45 o'clock, in order to change to running suit by 9 o'clock when the 100-yard dash is called for.

The committee in charge of the event is as follows: Major Walter R. Jeyes, chairman; Alfred Armstrong, starter; T. R. Williams, clerk of course; Earl P. Leadbetter, assistant clerk of course; W. C. MacBrayne, D. P. Brennan and Michael F. Byrne, judges; Leon C. Wells and Erle Barker, timers; Paul U. McGregor, announcer. The prizes will be as follows: Loving cup for school team which makes the largest number of points; small loving cup for each boy winning a first place in any event; ribbons for boys winning relay race and ribbons for second and third places in each event.

The baseball league among teams representing the various public schools of the city has also been organized by Major Jeyes and the teams represented on the league are as follows: Bartlett, Butler, Edson, Colburn, Green, Greenhalge, Lincoln, Moody, Morey, Riverside, Varnum and Washington. The games will start as soon as everything is in readiness, for there still remain a few details to be looked after such as grounds, dates of games and umpires.

## Harding's Recommendations

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in that which the traffic can bear. . . . . Railway rates and costs of operation must be reduced." . . . . . "The remaining obstacles which are the heritage of capitalistic exploitation must be removed and labor must join management in understanding that the public which pays, is the public to be served and simple justice is the right and will continue to be the right of all the people."

**Good Roads**

The strengthening of laws governing federal aid.

**Merchant Marine**

Private monopolies tending to prevent the development of needed facilities should be prohibited. Government owned facilities wherever possible without unduly interfering with private enterprise or government needs should be made available for general usages."

**Aviation**

Regulation by the federal government and encouragement of aviation for development for military and civil purposes.

**Service Men**

The American people expect congress unfailingly to voice the gratitude of the republic in a generous and practical way to its defenders in the world war. The immediate extension and utilization of governemnt hospital facilities to bring relief to the acute conditions most complained of.

**Public Welfare**

Co-ordination of various government agencies now working on the subject and endorsement of the pending maternity bill.

**Lynching**

Congress ought to wipe the stain of barbaric lynching from the banners of a free and orderly representative democracy. A proposal for a commission with representatives of white and black races to study and report on the subject "has real merit."

**Army and Navy**

Early consideration of pending appropriation bills was urged. "The government is in accord with the wish to eliminate the burdens of heavy armament," said the president. "The United States will ever be in harmony with such a movement toward the higher attainments of peace. But we shall not entirely discard our agencies for defense until there is removed the need to defend. We are ready to co-operate with other nations to approximate disarmament but merest prudence forbids that we disarm alone."

**National Finance**

"The staggering load of war debt must be cared for in orderly funding and gradual liquidation. We shall hasten the solution and aid effectively in lifting the tax burdens if we strike resolutely at expenditures."

**Administration**

"Enactment of a national budget system and general reductions by efficient management of the cost of government."

**Business**

"Less of government in business as well as more business in government. . . . There is no challenge to honest and lawful business success. But government approval of fortune unhampered business does not mean toleration of restraint of trade or of maintained prices by unnatural methods . . . Anxious as we are to restore the onward flow of business, it is fair to combine assurance and warning in one utterance."

**Agriculture**

"The retained costs in perishable foods cannot be justified. . . . Reduced costs of basic production has been recorded, but high cost of living has not yielded in like proportion. . . . Without the spirit of hostility or haste in accusation of profiteering some suitable inquiry by congress might speed the price readjustment to normal relationship with helpfulness to both producer and consumer. A measuring rod of fair prices will satisfy the country and give us a business revival to end all depression and unemployment."

These were the principal subjects touched on in the address which was about 7500 words in length, and a large portion of which was devoted to the related subjects of peace, the League of Nations and the country's foreign policy.

**Declares Against League**

The president's discussion of the peace question opened with a definite declaration against the existing League of Nations.

"In the existing League of Nations, world governing with its superior powers," he said, "this republic will have no part. There can be no misinterpretation and there will be no betrayal of the deliberate expression of the American people in the recent election; and, settled in our decision for ourselves, it is only fair to say to the world in general and to our associates in war in particular, that the league covenant can have no sanction by us. x x x x x x x Manifestly the highest purpose of the League of Nations was defeated in linking it with the treaty of peace and making it the enforcing agency of the victors of the war. x x x x There can be no prosperity for the fundamental purposes sought to be achieved by any such association so long as it is an organ of any particular treaty, or committed to the attainment of the special aims of any nation or group of nations. x x x x x x x x.

In rejection of the league covenant and uttering the rejection to our own people, and to the world, we make no surrender of our hope and aim for an association to promote peace in which we would most heartily join x x x x. In the national referendum (the last election) we pledged our efforts toward such association and the pledge will be faithfully kept. In the plight of policy and performance we told the American people we meant to seek an early establishment of peace. The United States alone among the allied and associated powers continues in a technical state of war against the central powers of Europe."


**Headaches from Slight Cold**

GROVE'S Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets relieve the Headache by curing the Cold. A tonic laxative and germ destroyer. The genuine bears the signature of E. W. Grove. (Be sure you get BROMO.) 30c.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN TO MARRY AGAIN

This is May Collins, movie actress, who is reported to be engaged to wed Charlie Chaplin (inset.) May refers inquirers to Charlie and Charlie tells 'em he doesn't care to discuss the subject.

Little Children Brighten Homes

EVERY young couple starting out in life has visions of joyful hours spent before the fireside with healthy, happy children; but, alas, how often young women who long for children are denied that happiness because of some functional derangement which may be corrected by proper treatment. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is just the medicine for these conditions, as the following letters show:

McDonald, Ohio.—"I suffered from a displacement, a weakness, and a great deal of pain. The doctor said nothing would help me but an operation. He said I could never have any children because I was too weak.

"I had often heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, so I tried it and it helped me. Now I am in the best of health, do all of my own work, and have a lovely boy six months old. I recommend your medicine to my friends and you have my permission to use this letter."—Mrs. J. C. Eagleson, 426 Garfield Ave., McDonald, Ohio.

Mesa, Colorado.—"Ever since I was a young girl I suffered from a great deal of pain every month. I tried different medicines, but only got relief for a short time. I had been married seven years, and wanted a child, but was not well enough. My mother advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as it had helped her, and I am happy to say it restored my health, my pains disappeared, and I have a fine little girl. I advise all women who suffer as I did to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. F. C. Wimer, Box 94, Mesa, Colorado.

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| Sweet Pickled Shoulders Lb. .....15¢ | Fresh Tomato Sausage Lb. .....22¢ | Dold Quality (Stripped) BACON Lb. .....25¢ |
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# FIGURES ON GERMANY'S ECONOMIC REVIVAL

PARIS, April 12.—Figures by experts to show the extent of Germany's economic revival as bearing upon her ability to pay reparations have been submitted in a report to the reparations commission. This report will form in part the basis of the commission's calculation of Germany's capacity to pay.

The bank deposits of Germany, it says, increased last year from 4,500,000,000 to 6,250,000,000 marks.

The experts declare there has been a marked change in the ratio of imports and exports which is bringing the value of the total exports to a considerable excess over the value of the imports. The exports to Holland alone, they state, amount to the equivalent of 8,600,000,000 francs last year.

The experts point out a number of cases in which industrial enterprises have made immense profits, several of these last year distributing dividends which exceeded the nominal value of their capital stock. They declare that 1,032,000,000 marks were invested last year in new shares or in new companies.

As evidence of the swelling of the German budget, of which the allies have complained was unnecessarily increasing Germany's interior burden and hampering her capacity to pay reparations, the experts cite figures showing that there are 300,000 more railroad employes on the payrolls than there were in 1914, and in the face of a decrease of one-half in passenger traffic and of 20 per cent in freight traffic.

### BRINGS 300,000 SACKS OF COFFEE

RIO JANEIRO, April 12.—More than 300,000 sacks of coffee have been purchased in this city and at Santos by the government since March 30, says the Correio Demanha. The newspaper declares the government is thus carrying out its announced intention to intervene in the market for the purpose of raising the price of Brazil's leading product and improving foreign exchange.

### SUPER-TAX ON ORE

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 12.—Governor Preus has signed a bill recently passed by the legislature providing for a 6 per cent. super-tax on iron and other ore mined in Minnesota. It is estimated the measure will yield approximately $4,500,000 annually in revenue to the state.


# RHEUMATISM LEFT HIM AS IF BY MAGIC!

**Had Suffered Over 50 Years!**

**Now 83 Years, Yet a Big Surprise to Friends**

**Regains Strength Goes out Fishing, Back to Business, Laughs at "URIC ACID"**

**How the "Inner Mysteries" Reveals Startling Facts Overlooked By Doctors and Scientists For Centuries**

"I am eighty-three years old and I doctored for rheumatism ever since I came out of the army over fifty years ago," writes J. B. Ashelman. "Like many others, I spent money freely for so-called 'cures', and I have read about 'Uric Acid' until I could almost taste it. I could not sleep nights or walk without pain; my hands were so sore and stiff I could not hold a pen. But now, as if by magic, I am again in active business and can walk with ease or write all day with comfort. Friends are surprised at the change."

HOW IT HAPPENED.

Mr. Ashelman is only one of thousands who suffered for years, owing to the general belief in the old, false theory that "Uric Acid" causes rheumatism. This erroneous belief induced him and legions of unfortunate men and women to take wrong treatments. You might just as well attempt to put out a fire with oil as to try to get rid of your rheumatism, neuritis and like complaints by taking treatments supposed to drive Uric Acid out of your blood and body. Many physicians and scientists now know that Uric Acid never did, never can and never will cause rheumatism; that it is a natural and necessary constituent of the blood; that it is found in every new-born babe; and that without it we could not live!

These statements may seem strange to some folks, who have all along been led to believe in the old "Uric Acid" bumbug. It took Mr. Ashelman fifty years to find out this truth. He learned how to get rid of the true cause of his rheumatism, other disorders, and recover his strength from "The Inner Mysteries", a remarkable book now being distributed free by an authority who devoted over twenty years to the scientific study of this particular trouble.

NOTE: If any reader of The Sun wishes the book that reveals these facts regarding the true cause and cure of rheumatism, facts that were overlooked by doctors and scientists for centuries past, simply send a post card or letter to H. P. Clearwater, No. 1012 D Street, Hallowell, Maine, and it will be sent by return mail without any charge whatever. Cut out this notice lest you forget! If not a sufferer yourself, hand this good news to some afflicted friend. —Adv.



# "TIZ" FOR ACHING, SORE, TIRED FEET

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Get a box of "Tiz" now from any druggist. Just think a whole year's foot comfort for only a few cents.—Adv.


## THE LATEST BANK

The latest thing in "banks" is a compact, clasp-lock pocket. Miss Ruth Oswald is shown demonstrating its superiority over the old-fashioned "first national."

# IN THE POLICE COURT

## Local Company Fined for Violation of Labor Law—Liquor Case

The A. J. Foster company was fined $50 in police court today on one of four counts charging violations of the labor laws. The state contended that the defendant had allowed girls to work more than the legal forty-eight hours during a single week. In defense it was explained that during the Easter rush the girls desired to make extra money, and were therefore permitted to work overtime. Paul Peters, of Tyngsboro, paid a fine of $150 for unlawful keeping of liquor. Officer Holt made the arrest. The defendant pleaded guilty. Three assault and battery cases were continued. One drunkenness case was filed. Stanley Abbott, 18, was found guilty of being present at a game on the Lord's day and was fined $5, which he paid.

A local storekeeper was fined $20 for advertising cold storage butter as fresh butter.

# PANAMA TROOPS MASS ALONG FRONTIER

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, April 12.—Troops of the Republic of Panama are being concentrated in the Coto and Almirante districts along the Costa Rican frontier and are being closely watched by military leaders in this country. Military preparations for the purpose of countering any blow struck by Panama are not being made, as the government and people of Costa Rica are confident the United States will follow out the program laid down by Secretary Hughes in his note to Costa Rica and Panama. It is stated that Costa Rican government is holding the Panaman steamer Belen Quisada as a result of Panama's refusal to return several launches captured near Coto when war seemed imminent a few weeks ago.

"Despite the war-like preparations of Panama," said Julio Acosta, president or Costa Rica, "the Costa Rican government is awaiting the outcome of the frontier controversy tranquility. Panama has not relaxed her military activities since her official rejection of the frontier decision handed down by Chief Justice White of the United States supreme court, but this country is not making any special military preparations, confidently expecting a solution safeguarding Costa Rican territorial rights as a result of the energetic attitude assumed by the United States."

## MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Arthur Descoteaux and Mrs. Marie Richard were married this morning, at a nuptial mass celebrated at 8 o'clock, in the private chapel of St. Joseph's rectory, the officiating clergyman being Very Rev. E. J. Turcotte, O.M.I. The bride wore a dark blue traveling suit with hat to match and was given away by her nephew, Mr. Charles Dubois of Nashua, N.H., while the groom was attended by his father, Mr. Prime Descoteaux. At the close of the ceremony, the bridal party repaired to the home of a brother of the groom, Mr. Adjutor Descoteaux, 502 Moody street, where a wedding breakfast was served. Present at the festivities from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dubois and Rev. Fr. Richard, all of Nashua, N.H. The happy couple left at noon, on a honeymoon trip to Boston, Providence, R.I., Salem and Keene, N.H., and upon their return they will make their home at 12 Dracut street.

**Soucy—Desrochers**

The marriage of Mr. George Soucy and Miss Marie Lumina Desrochers took place Sunday, at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Athanase Marion, O.M.I. The couple were attended by Messrs. Joseph Ayotte and Jeremie Desrochers. The couple will make their home in this city.

**Hunter—Morrison**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Morrison announce the marriage of their daughter, Grace E., in New York city, April 1, to Sergt. Maj. Guy P. Hunter of Camp Devens. Sergt. Maj. Hunter is a world war veteran, having served 17 months overseas with the A.E.F. and the Army of Occupation.

### SHAVER O'BRIEN WINS

BOSTON, April 12.—Shaver O'Brien of south Boston scored a close 10-round decision over Harry Silva of the West End in the main bout of the Carlyle A. C. show at the Grand Opera House last night.

In the semi-final Dutch Regan of East Boston beat Tommy Rawson, also of the Neddie Island section, in another 10-round number.

In the third scheduled 10-round affair Johnny Donovan of South Boston stopped Johnny Duffey of New Orleans in two rounds.

### NOONAN WINS AT SALEM

SALEM, April 12.—At the boxing tourney last night, Johnny Noonan of Dorchester defeated Billy Myers of Boston, after 10 rounds of terrific fighting. Myers was the aggressor throughout, but Noonan's clean punches earned him the decision.

Jack McCarty of Woburn made Sailor Gardiner of Roxbury quit in the sixth round.

The largest room without columns is said to be in a mosque in Lucknow, India.

Some of the purest silk cloth in the world is produced in Holyoke, Mass.


## A Good Blood Tonic

Bliss, N. Y.—"Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is certainly one of the best blood purifiers. I have used it for the past two years always with satisfying results. I used three bottles this past spring for bad blood and it cured me. I would recommend it to any one who wants a good blood tonic. Dr. Pierce's medicines are all that they are claimed to be, I have always had good results from their use."—MRS. JAMES E. TOBEY, Route 1. All druggists, liquid or tablets.

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# MINSTREL CONCERT BY SANCTUARY CHOIR.

St. Patrick's sanctuary choir will present its annual minstrel concert tomorrow evening in Associate hall at 8 o'clock and this year's affair promises to be of the same high standard as previous efforts of the popular Aere organization. Many talented entertainers have volunteered their services to supplement the efforts of the members of the choir. After the entertainment there will be general dancing. James H. Lyons will be in the interlocutor's chair and the endmen will include Edward (Tip) Handley, John (Doc) Keefe, Charles Clancey and Daniel P. Brennan. The program, opening with a medley of popular airs by the chorus, will continue as follow:

Cohan's Divorce, Frankie Sullivan, J. (Happy) Hourihan; Little Mother of Mine, Martin Maguire; Aunt Jemima's Jubilee, John (Doc) Keefe; Think Alone, Mrs. Nora Regan Longtin; xylophone quartet, O'Riely family, featuring Peggy O'Riley; monologue, Alfred (Chick) Shea; I Love the Land of Old Black Joe, Charles Clancey; If a Baby Would Never Grow Old, Master John Spillane; I'm Missing Mammie's Kissin', Danny Brennan; solo, selected, Mr. Fred Cummings; Yodle, Mr. James H. Lyons, assisted by the Honey Boy Four; My Wild Irish Rose, Mr. Thomas Delmore; solo, selected, Mr. James Deignan; I Wish I Was Born in Borneo, Mr. John McArdle; Scotch songs, Mr. James E. Donnelly; I Used to Love You, Edward (Tip) Handley; Let's Help the Irish Now, Mr. Edward Rogers, assisted by the Honey Boys and chorus. Director and accompanist, Mr. William Paul McCarthy.

# BLOOD TEST TO DECIDE PATERNITY OF CHILD

SPRINGFIELD, April 12.—The first blood test to determine the paternity of a child to be made in Massachusetts, will be made here soon. The child in question is that of Doris Foisy. Thomas Crover is alleged to be the father, while he declares that the father is George Webb, a soldier at Fort Hamilton, New York. The latter denies it. Crover is a defendant in the district court.

The child, born Feb. 1, was exhibited in court to determine which of the men involved it resembled most. The child was so young that the result was disappointing. However, by agreement of the parties concerned, it was agreed to have a blood test. The blood of each of the men will be compared with that of the child.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

CLEVELAND, April 12.—The second annual convention of the National League of Women Voters formally opened today with more than 1000 delegates and alternates from all parts of the country in attendance. The convention will close Saturday afternoon.

Conferences on child welfare, uniform laws concerning women, and food supply and demand reported their recommendations last night. Those to report today are American citizenship; election laws and methods; social hygiene and women in industry.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Mrs. E. T. Costigan of the National League of Women Voters, refused to allow a representative of the Institute of American Meat Packers to present facts and figures concerning the industry to the conference on food supply and demand at Cleveland, according to charges made public here today by the Institute. The statement said that S. T. Nash, president of the Cleveland Provision Co., and vice president of the Institute, was told by Mrs. Costigan that it would be impossible to permit the packers' side to be given a hearing at the committee conference.

According to the statement, Mr. Nash had requested that the Institute be given a place on the program because he had learned that the announced program plainly indicated that only one side of the question would be presented when federal regulation of the meat industry would be considered.

## Packers Must Sell Interests

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opinion of both either the Sherman act or the terms of the decree are being violated.

The plan sets forth that the defendants are to proceed to sell their stock with due diligence with reports of all sales submitted to the court for its approval. These reports must contain the price and the name of the proposed purchasers and must be accompanied by affidavits that the proposed purchasers are in no way connected with the defendants.

In the event that any of the stock remains unsold at the end of the year the defendants may obtain an extension of time upon a showing made to the court of diligence in their efforts to dispense of the stock at a fair and reasonable price.

"The legal principle of course was up to the department of justice," Justice Stafford said after he had signed the plan, "and when the department had approved the plan it was only incumbent upon me to see that the law was not violated by any of the particulars. I was glad to find that such was not the case and therefore approved the plan."

The properties which are to be sold by the two companies are:

Sioux City Stockyard company; St. Paul Union Stockyards Co.; St. Joseph Stockyards company; Fort Worth Stockyards Co.; Denver Union Stockyards company; Kansas Stockyards company; St. Louis National Stockyards; Union Stockyards company, of Omaha, Ltd.; Bourbon Stockyards company, Louisville, Ky., Newark, N. J. Stockyards; Milwaukee Stockyards company; Brighton Stockyards company, Boston; Portland Union Stockyards company, North Portland, Ore.; Cleveland Union Stockyards company; Sioux City Terminal Railway company; St. Paul Bridge & Terminal company, St. Paul; St. Joseph Belt Railway company, St. Joseph, Mo.; Fort Worth Belt Railway company; Kansas City Connecting railroad; East St. Louis Junction Railroad company.

Agreement to dispose of their stockyard interests was made by the packers in the consent decree filed with the District of Columbia supreme court more than a year ago. Plans under which the other of the "Big Five" packers are to dispose of their stock were agreed upon some time ago. Two previous plans were submitted by Armour & Co., and Swift & Co., but were disapproved by the court after the department of justice filed objections.

# Queen Anne Paint Ready For Use

Queen Anne Paint is not sold at Coburn's as a "first grade" paint although it will be found of higher quality than many of the so-called "second grade" paints now on the market. It is formulated to produce the best possible product for the price at which it is sold.

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# TO DIRECT SOLDIER RELIEF ACTIVITIES

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Direction of all soldier relief activities of the government, with the exception of vocational training will be transferred to the war risk bureau as soon as the necessary details for the move can be completed, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury La Porte said today.

Public health hospitals will continue to treat veterans, but under the direction of the bureau, which will be responsible for the medical and surgical treatment of the men. All diagnosis and admittance to hospitals will also be through the bureau, and veterans can be sent to public health, army, navy or state hospitals as the bureau directs. A hospital inspection service is to be established, which will see that all hospitals where disabled veterans are treated, are up to the standard.

# FRENCH VIEWPOINT ON MANDATE QUESTION

PARIS, April 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Ambassador Jusserand is understood here to have given Secretary Hughes in Washington the French viewpoint on the mandate question raised by the secretary's recent note, in which the United States insisted she was entitled to a voice in the ultimate disposition of the former overseas possessions of Germany.

The ambassador's verbal communication, it was said, was in lieu of a written reply to the latest American note, and such a reply will probably not be sent for the present.

The foreign office today declined to disclose the substance of M. Jusserand's talk with Secretary Hughes, but in usually well-informed quarters he is said to have told the secretary that France recognized the justice of the American claim to be consulted on such questions and was favorable to the American contentions regarding the island of Yap.

## YOUNG WOMEN PLAN BARN DANCE

Among the season's social events of interest, is the barn dance to be given by the Y.W.H.A. tomorrow evening at Lincoln hall, the proceeds of which will go towards the adoption of European orphans. The social committee are sparing no efforts to make this affair a huge success and many novel ideas will be introduced. Prizes will be given to the man and woman who appear in the most original and appropriate costumes. Those on the social committee are as follows: Mrs. F. Wolfson, chairman; Mrs. A. Stein, Mrs. S. Abrams, Mrs. L. Kotzen, Mrs. I. Swartz, Miss M. Cantor, Miss R. Brown, Miss E. Paresky, Miss M. Stolloff, Miss R. Blank, Miss R. Ballofsky, Miss A. Kaplan.

### TIRE CO. REDUCES STOCK

COLUMBUS, O., April 12.—The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. of Akron today filed articles with the secretary of state reducing its common stock from $100,000,000 to $1,000,000.

Roads paved with huge blocks of stone were recently excavated in Mexico.


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# Vetoes Bill to Change City Government

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 12.—Mayor Buck today vetoed a bill designed to change the city government from a commission to an aldermanic system. He says the measure was drawn in secret and passed by the legislature "at the request of unknown and invisible persons, and is still without the declared support of a single organization of our citizens." Buffalo has had a commission form of government since January, 1916.

# Farmer Co-operative Assn. Discussed

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The status of Farmer Co-operative Marketing associations under the Sherman anti-trust act was discussed today at the American Farm Bureau Federation conference, which is meeting to frame a farmers' legislative program.

# 2504 Bills Introduced in House

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Weary house filing clerks were still at work today trying to catalogue 2504 bills introduced yesterday. It was a record-breaking first day flood of new measures. In the lot were close to a thousand bills allotting cannon captured by Americans during the war to towns and cities in all sections of the country.


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## Sporting News and Newsy Sports

# FIRST GAME OF POLO SERIES HERE TONIGHT

The first game in the big post-season series between the New Bedford Whalers, winners of the American Roller Polo league pennant, and the Lowell "Colts" will be played at the Crescent rink tonight. The series is expected to develop great interest, as the contending clubs have been bitter rivals all season. The rivalry really started long before the present season, as two of the star players on the New Bedford club formerly played with Lawrence when the down-river city was represented in the league, and naturally the rivalry that existed in those days followed the players, when they went to other fields.

The Whalers, led by Duke Dufresne and Bill Duggan, are a scrappy team, a fast, aggressive and apparently tireless outfit, and they and the various local clubs have engaged in many thrilling clashes during the season.

With the lineup that represented Lowell in the final few weeks of the season, the Whalers could accomplish little, as the rejuvenated Lowell team won the majority of the games played. This outcome resulted in the Lowell team challenging the Whalers to the series.

After tonight's game the teams will go to New Bedford for games Wednesday and Thursday nights. If one team has not won three games, the clubs will come back to Lowell to play Friday night. If a fifth game is necessary it will be played here Saturday night.

## HEARING ON FISH AND GAME LICENSES

Members of the executive committee of the Lowell Fish and Game association went to Boston today to attend a hearing on a bill to increase the price of hunting and fishing licenses. The Lowell men spoke in opposition to the proposed increase, reference to which was made in these columns yesterday. Yesterday's statement, however, was in error to the extent that it did not state correctly the amount of the proposed increases. The rate at present is 50 cents for a fishing license and $1 for a hunting license. If the new bill should become law, fishing and hunting licenses would cost $2 each.

If any improvement resulted from increased revenues the hunters and fishermen in this neck of the woods would not so strongly oppose the proposed advance in the price of fishing and hunting licenses. But the commission that would handle the money accruing from such an increase has not been breaking its neck to do anything wonderful in these parts. That is the sentiment expressed by a member of the local association yesterday, and he spoke particularly of the failure on the part of the fish and game commission to do anything definite relative to the installation of a fishway at Pawtucket dam, despite the fact that money has already been appropriated for that purpose. The letter from Commissioner Adams, read at the annual meeting of the association last Thursday evening, and in which he stated that work on the fishway here would be deferred until it was ascertained how well the fishway in Lawrence would function, did not please association members the least little bit and it was voted to send a letter to the commissioner instructing him to get busy as per statute and agreement. No thought, the members say, was given by the commissioner of the fish that are carried down over the falls. The fish are unable to return because it is imposible for them to negotiate the falls without the assistance of a fishway. It is also pointed out that the commissioner failed to take into account the fish that reach the Merrimack river from its various tributaries below the falls.

## "$250,000 INFIELD" IN OPENING GAME

BOSTON, April 12.—Present indications are that Manager Hugh Duffy of the Boston Americans will be able to present his "$250,000 infield" in the opening game of the season in Washington tomorrow, said despatches received here today from New York. Derrill Pratt, second baseman, is expected to join the Sox in time for the game, reports said. "Stuffy" McInnis is already with the club, and the injuries to Oscar Vitt and Everett Scott were said to have so far improved that they would be able to play third base and shortstop, respectively.

Manager Duffy was quoted as saying that Sam Jones and "Muddy" Ruel would start the game as the battery for the Sox. The local team planned to leave New York for Washington today.

## TO REORGANIZE TWILIGHT LEAGUE

Six teams were admitted to the Twilight league at a meeting of the organization last evening and each announced its readiness to put a strong outfit into the field next summer. The teams admitted to membership were Boland & Canney's South Ends, Walter Lyons, manager; Centralvilles, Ray Faye, manager; Gillespies, Charles Bird, manager; C.M.A.C., Charles Marcotte, manager; the Wanderers, Abe Buckley, manager; Bellevues, Case Ryan, manager.

The league had a very successful season last year and aroused as much enthusiasm as a professional league. There will be another meeting of the organization Monday evening, April 18.

### RAY WINS OVER DUNDEE

PITTSBURG, April 12.—Johnny Ray, Pittsburg lightweight, won the newspaper decision over Johnny Dundee, New York, in their 10-round bout here last night.

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# ATLANTIC CITY EXPECTED TO GET BIG BOUT

NEW YORK, April 12.—Tex Rickard's announcement that the Dempsey-Carpentier bout will be held in New Jersey has confirmed the belief that has obtained in boxing circles ever since he took over the interests of William A. Brady and Charles Cochran. As long as he was associated with the English promoter and his American representative there was a possibility that the battle for the world's heavyweight championship might find its way to England in spite of the repeated denials issued by Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager. The original contract plainly stated that the men would fight when and where the promoters decided. But just as soon as Rickard assumed sole control of the venture there was not the slightest doubt that he would stage the bout as near New York city as possible.

Had not Gov. Miller been opposed to having the bout staged in this state Rickard would have erected an arena just outside New York city. This was his original intention. His plans were severely jolted when the boxing commission ruled that not more than $15 could be charged for the best seats. But even under these conditions Rickard probably would have staged the bout in New York if the governor had looked kindly on the project. Rickard could have built a place that would have been large enough to assure him of a big gate even with $15 as the top price. But when Gov. Miller frowned, Rickard had no choice but to seek elsewhere for a site for the match that is probably the most talked of affair in the history of modern pugilism.

Putting the bout on in New Jersey virtually amounts to the same thing as staging it in New York. Rickard has said that all the prospective sites have been eliminated with the exception of Atlantic City, Newark and Jersey City. Any of these places is within easy access of the metropolis. The fact that the bout will be held in one of these places means that Rickard will be assured of a record gate. The promoter has announced that he plans to erect an arena that will cost $100,000 and will seat 50,000 persons. He proposes to charge from $5 to $50, and under these conditions the chances are the receipts will amount to more than they would have had he been able to hold the bout in this state with $15 as the maximum price.

According to those who are in a position to know, Rickard favors holding the match in Atlantic City.

On July 2, the specified date, the resort will be densely populated. The fact that boxing bouts in New Jersey are limited to 12 rounds, and that no decision can be rendered will not seriously mitigate against the attractiveness of the bout.

# EXPECTS TO SIGN GIBBS TO BOX AVILA

Matchmaker Joe McCarthy of the Crescent A.A. is negotiating with Woonsocket Joe Gibbs in an endeavor to have him meet Johnny Avila of Lowell in one of the 10-round bouts of the all-star show to be staged here on Thursday evening.

Avila is already signed and it is expected that Gibbs will attach his "John Henry" to a contract some time today. Avila is now boxing in rare form and he has gained great confidence since scoring knockout victories over Tony Marengo and Jack McCarthy. Gibbs is a rugged, aggressive battler, and if secured ought to give the Lowell boy a battle.

In the other two bouts, each of ten rounds, Johnny Shepard of Woburn and Young Crilly of Lawrence, and George Brooks of Lowell and Jimmy Kenney of Wakefield will entertain.

## SPORTING NOTES BY INSIDER

A broken thumb costs Benny Leonard $10,000. The old title is too valuable to risk with a wobbly digit so he called off his match with Frank Schoell.

Jack Dempsey is deluged with challenges from headstrong chaps who disregard the advice of their insurance agents.

Chick Evans is worrying because he'll have to wear a coat while shooting golf in the British Open during May weather.

Jack Sharkey's recent twins are boys. He intends to make fighters out of them.

Ty Cobb's little boy, Ty, Jr., has written his daddy for a pair of baseball shoes. Ty, Jr., is only in the fifth grade but he is a member of a ball team.

Connie Mack seems to pick pitchers for height. Of the 13 he now has the shortest is 5 feet 11. The tallest is 6 feet 6.

The Yanks are murdering poor pitching and falling down against the good stuff in their exhibition games. There's a whole story in those few words.

Zack Wheat is earning the extra salary Ebbets paid him by knocking the ball silly.

## AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Congress A.C., winners of the 14-15-year-old championship last year, challenges any team in the city averaging 15-16 years the Celtics or Fries preferred. The lineup follows: Conlin c, Firth p, Garrity or Lafamme 1b, Vaughan 2b, Daley ss, Hersom 3b, Ward lf, Smith cf, McLoughlin, or Johnson rf. Send all challenges to James Daly, 15 London street, or answer through this paper.

The Iowa A.C. baseball team won a victory over the Chippewas Saturday afternoon by the score of 8 to 5. The Iowas also defeated the Riverside aggregation 11 to 2 Sunday afternoon. The Iowas are willing to meet all comers of 14-15 years of age. Send challenges through this paper or phone Capt. Sullivan, 4579-W any night at 5.30.

The Tigers defeated the Maples Sunday by the score of 12 to 11. The feature of the game was the hitting of the Corbett brothers. The Tigers will play the Alpines Saturday afternoon.

The Young Athletics and the South End Juniors played a tie game Saturday, the game being called off on account of rain. The features of the game were the battery work of Flood and McNamara and the fielding of Loughran and Corcoran.

### BRAVES REACH BOSTON TODAY

BOSTON, April 12.—The Boston Nationals were scheduled to arrive in this city today to put the finishing touches on their spring training trip before meeting Brooklyn in the opening game of the National league season here tomorrow. Reports from the team said that the players would go to Braves field this afternoon for a workout. It was predicted that Joe Oeschger, who opposed the 1920 National league champions in the famous 26-inning game here last summer, would be Manager Mitchell's pitching selection for tomorrow's game.

# BIG AMATEUR BOXING TITLE TOURNAMENT

BOSTON, April 12.—After fighting into the early morning hours today in the preliminary rounds of the national title tournament, the survivors of a list of four score boxers representative of the best in the amateur rings of the United States and Canada rested during the day in preparation for semi-final and final tests tonight.

The Canadian lads, although in good condition and apparently well coached, lacked the winning punches against their American opponents in most instances. Boxers from Pittsburgh formed a team that carried off city honors in the early rounds.

Individuals who stood out in the night's milling included Sam Lagonia of New York, the national champion at 158 pounds for several years, who is making his last defense of the title; Arthur J. Rooney of Georgetown university who brought a stiff punch and trained mind to the ring to defeat two strong men in the 145 pound class; Henry C. Bohlin of Brockton, New England champion at that weight, who also trounced two opponents; Magnus Larsen of New York with both weight, and a powerful punch to help him in the 175 pound class, and John Hamm of Pittsburgh and Al Pettingill of New Orleans, likely lads in the group of flyweights at 108 pounds or less.

The second round contests which were not finished until an early hour this morning, included these bouts:

145-pound class: Charles J. E. Jenkesson, Los Angeles, defeated Harry Henning, Toronto, one round.

Milton Weiss, New York, defeated Ray Dempsey, Milwaukee, four rounds.

Arthur J. Rooney, Georgetown university, defeated Jack Novesti, Pittsburgh, three rounds.

H. C. Bohlin, Brockton, defeated Joseph Gallagher, New York, three rounds.

158-pound class: Sam Lagonia, New York, defeated Richard Flanigan, Revere, two rounds.

Bunny Feeny, New York, defeated George Allen, Melrose, one round.

Joe Feeney, Philadelphia, defeated Frank Allen, Melrose, default.

Jack Roe, Pittsburgh, defeated Shanno Brennan, Roxbury, two rounds.

### SHARF'S QUINTET WINS

**Defeats Twohey's Pets in First of Series of Three Bowling Matches—Great Excitement**

Sharf's quintet won the first of a series of three games from Twohey's Pets in an exciting bowling match on the Merrimack alleys last night. While no records were broken, several very good scores were put up. The match has created considerable interest "around the corner" and many of the fans were on hand to "razz" or cheer as the occasion demanded. When a bowler fell down on a chance for a spare or sent a ball down the gutter "razzberries" were handed out generously. The other games in the series will be rolled at a later date and the defeated team, which attributes its setback to the "gallery" is determined to bring along a bunch of rooters which will cheer the "pets" on to victory. The scores in last night's game follow:

Twohey's Pets—Corcoran 259, Floof 231, Thowey 237, O'Connor 267, Fitzgerald 253.

Sharf's Pets—Kelley 242, Lannan 232, Leary 291, Barrett 253, Collen 285.

### INFIELDER GRIMES SUSPENDED

TOLEDO, O., April 12.—Suspension of Infielder Roy Grimes for refusal to report to the Toledo club of the American association after being released by the New York Giants, was announced today in a message from Roger Bresnahan.

Grimes, according to Bresnahan's message, demanded a bonus of $1500 before making the trip to the minor league. This was refused by Bresnahan. Grimes is to have a conference with John McGraw today. It is understood, when the player will be ordered to join the Toledo club in Louisville or go home and be placed on the suspended list for the season.

Bresnahan also announced today that Charles Morgan, a Mercer university catcher, has been signed. If Morgan is as good as he has been touted, it means the passing of the veteran "Nig" Clarke, it was said.

The Toledo club today is traveling from Chattanooga to Louisville where the team opens the season tomorrow.

### CHICAGO TEAMS READY

CHICAGO, April 12.—The Chicago Cubs returned home today with a scoring record of 55 runs in their last four games on the training ship. A brief workout in the North Side park is scheduled for this afternoon in preparation for the opening game of the season tomorrow here, against St. Louis. Alexander, it is expected, will start the opening game.

A strenuous practice session for the White Sox at Comiskey park yesterday made up for the lack of exercise for the Sox caused by postponement of the last few games of their training trip. The Sox left for Detroit today to open the season against Tigers. Kerr was favored as the pitching selection to start, with Faber as the alternate.

### GILDEA TO COACH B. C.

BOSTON, April 12.—Tom Gildea, outfielder last year with the Syracuse International league baseball team, yesterday was chosen head coach of the Boston college nine to succeed Tom McCarthy, who will join the Brooklyn Nationals as assistant manager on Wednesday.

### PROFANITY BARRED

CHICAGO, April 12.—Players in the American association using profanity on the baseball field will be banished immediately from the game, President Hickey said today in instructing his umpires in regard to the rules for the opening of the season tomorrow.

Pitchers will be forbidden to use any foreign substance in their deliveries which means that the emery and spit balls and other freak deliveries will be prohibited.

### NEW YORK TEAMS ALL SET

NEW YORK, April 12.—The New York Nationals will meet Fordham university's team in the final exhibition game of the training season today while the Yankees rest for their opening game here tomorrow with the Athletics, and the Dodgers go to Boston to open the season with the Braves.

After the Fordham game the Giants will leave for Philadelphia to open the season with the Phillies.

### GOLF CHAMP SAILS

NEW YORK, April 12.—Joseph Kirkwood, Australian open golf champion, was a passenger aboard the steamship Aquitania, sailing today for England. While abroad he will participate in the English open championship and the French open tournament, after which he will return to the United States for the national open event.

### BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Many bowlers "tried their luck" in the big handicap tournament on the Crescent alleys yesterday and again some very fine scores were put up. This is the third week of the tourney and it is increasing in popularity every day. The handicapping, so excellently done by Walter Jewett, has made a great hit with the bowlers, as it gives the beginners as much chance as the experts in competing for part of the $1000 in prizes.

### GIBBONS TO MEET WILLIAMS

NEW YORK, April 12.—Tom Gibbons of St. Paul, brother of "Phantom Mike" Gibbons, will engage Larry Williams of Bridgeport, Conn., heavyweight, in a 15-round bout here tonight. In a recent bout here Gibbons knocked out Paul Sampson in less than two rounds of fighting.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

A very enjoyable birthday party was held last evening at 93 Chapel street, when Master Joseph Welsh observed his 13th anniversary. Thirteen young friends assembled and each and every one assisted in making the affair a memorable one. Charles Sullivan acted as master of ceremonies and he filled his duties most acceptably. William Niland presided at the piano and his part in the program was splendidly done. The popular young host was the recipient of many gifts. Games were played and refreshments served.

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# LONG AUTOMOBILE RIDE

## Autoists Pass Through Lowell on Last Lap of Trans-Continental Tour

All the way from Concord, N. H., to the Pacific coast and back in an automobile without once having to take it to a garage for repairs is the record established by Mr. and Mrs. William H. Reed of Concord, who passed through Lowell this noon on their way home after a trip of 15,000 miles.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed made the transcontinental journey in a closed car of a popular make and have returned with the same car that they started out in despite the fact that they passed hundreds of machines which had been abandoned in the Rocky mountains simply because their owners were involved in so much trouble and the expense would be so great to have them hauled to the nearest repair station that they abandoned them and either got another machine or made the rest of the trip by some other mode of conveyance.

Mr. Reed is in the automobile and taxi business in Concord and consequently has a more intimate knowledge of the mechanism of a car than the ordinary tourist has. He was constantly on the outlook for any signs of trouble and was able to keep his car in the best of condition for the long run.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed made the journey "just to see the country," as Mr. Reed expressed it this noon. They left their home in Concord September 15 and reached the Pacific coast in 21 days of actual driving. They started home from San Diego on Feb. 11 and have been on the way ever since. The roads in the western and central western part of the country are in very poor condition, Mr. Reed says, and in some places there are no roads at all. The so-called Lincoln highway is still a theory which hasn't reached the stage of reality, he said.

Mr. and and Mrs. Reed were in three countries and 34 states during their trip and although it was a pleasure journey, Mr. Reed lost 15 pounds. They came to Lowell from Providence, R. I.

# BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

SALEM, April 11.—A bill in equity has been filed by E. Mark Sullivan of Boston and A. S. Barket et al. of Newburyport, against the Essex county commissioners to restrain them from opening and leaving open the draw in Plum Island bridge.

WOBURN, April 11.—Eight hundred carpenters in Woburn, Reading, Stoneham, Winchester, Wakefield, Lexington and Melrose, resumed work today after a strike which had been in effect since Feb. 16.

BANGOR, Me., April 11.—President R. J. Aley of the University of Maine today announced that by decision of the board of trustees of the university, the college of law of the university will not be reopened for the present, this action having been made necessary by the failure of the Maine legislature to provide any appropriation to cover the expenses that the reopening of the law school would entail.

BOSTON, April 11.—The General Universalist convention won a point today in its suit to obtain control of the Second Universalist society of Boston when Judge Wait in the superior court overruled a demurrer filed by the society and ordered the case heard on its merits.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—A verdict for $9120, awarded by a jury in Portland, Me., to Matthew Foley, against the director general of railroads will stand as a result of the supreme court's refusal today to review the case. Foley was injured while working at the Portland terminal.

BOSTON, April 11.—An apartment house fire in the Back Bay district today made necessary the rescue by firemen of 20 persons. Five of the firemen were injured by falling glass.

NEW YORK, April 11.—The police today raided a Brooklyn saloon and confiscated liquor estimated to be worth between $80,000 and $100,000. proprietor was arrested and the liquor was carted to headquarters in six patrol wagons.

PHILADELPHIA, April 11—"O'Callaghan will remain in this country until he considers it safe to return to Ireland," said Michael Francis Doyle, his attorney. "Notice was served on the department of labor, that a writ of habeas corpus would be immediately applied for if any effort were made to deport the lord mayor."

# King of England Sues for $80,000

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 11.—A suit for $80,000 damages, brought by the king of Great Britain against the Taft-Peirce Manufacturing Co., of Woonsocket, was begun before a jury in the United States district court here today. The trial is expected to last two weeks.

The plaintiff alleges that the British government, Dec. 15, 1915, through J. P. Morgan & Co., their American agents, entered into a contract with the Rhode Island concern to manufacture more than 60,000 gauges used in the manufacture of Vickers machine guns and that as a result of a breach of contract on the part of the defendant the interests of the British government were damaged to the extent of $80,000.

# Judgments of $200,000 Stand

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Judgments obtained in Delaware courts by executors of the estate of the late J. P. Morgan against James A. Ownbey for $200,000, will stand as a result of the decision today by the supreme court. With the judgment the lower courts had issued authority for the sale of sufficient stock held in Ownbey's name to cover the obligation.

# AIR THRILLS FOR LOWELL SATURDAY

If weather conditions permit, Lowell will be treated to a series of honest-to-goodness airplane thrills next Saturday by the Cinot Airpale company, which is controlled by T. G. Walton of Cincinnati. The first stunt will be the landing at the Lowell Driving club's park, Golden cove, Chelmsford, of a consignment of goods for a local store. The goods will be brought in from the park by motor trucks. Simultaneous with the landing of the goods here the mechanical bird of the air will soar above Merrimack sq, cutting up all the didos known to the intrepid operators of the airplane. T. G. Walton, the man at the head of this rather unusual enterprise, is down in the flyer's book as having made the record trip from San Francisco to Bridgeport, Ct., and he sent word today that everything would be pulled off here Saturday, according to schedule, providing there are no impossible weather conditions to overcome.


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# EMPEROR OF JAPAN DECLINES INVITATION

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Emperor Yoshihito of Japan in a letter transmitted today to President Harding by the Japanese embassy here, expresses keen regret that "unavoidable circumstances" closely connected with himself, precluded him for the present, from accepting on behalf of his son, the crown prince of Japan, the president's invitation to visit the United States after the completion of his mission to Europe on which he embarked March 3.

### UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM

There was a decrease of 10.7 per cent in employment in the textile industries in Lowell during the month of March as compared with the preceding month, according to figures received at the rooms of the chamber of commerce today from the United States employment bureau of the department of labor. In February there was an increase of 12.1 per cent as compared with January.

BETTY AND HER BEAU — BY PARKS

THE OLD HOME TOWN — BY STANLEY

THE CRAZY QUILT — BY AHERN

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS — Tom's Replies Are Aggravating — BY ALLMAN

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# Grand Circuit Freak—Double-Gaited Champ May Lower Race Mark

PRINCE LOREE—DOUBLE-GAITED CHAMPION OF THE WORLD—IS TUNING UP TO WIN MORE LAURELS THIS YEAR.

CLEVELAND, April 12.—Prince Loree, the double-gaited champion of the harness tracks, is tuning up for the Grand Circuit opening here on July 4.

Prince Loree holds the distinguished record of having done the mile in 2.03¼ as a trotter one season and having come out as a pacer the next and stepped a mile in 2.00.

He made his trotting record in 1919 and his pacing mark in 1920.

This year the double-gaited champ is expected to pace a mile in less.

The gelding is owned by Captain David Shaw.

**Trainer Gets Credit**

Mike McDevitt, trainer, made the discovery that Prince Loree showed signs of being a lateral-gaited horse even while he was making his trotting records. Credit is due the trainer.

After making the record of 2.03¼ in the trots there were but few races the gelding could enter.

Trainer McDevitt did some experimenting.

Railbirds were amazed to see Prince Loree swing 'round the track with a sidewheeler gait.

The horse was trained all summer and in September showed his first mile workout in 2.00.

The horse's record of 2.03¼ trot and 2.00 pace gives him rank as the world's double-gaited champ with an average record of 2.01⅝.

**Record Safe**

Prince Loree's mark seems less likely to be disturbed of all records now standing.

The Grand Circuit purses this year will aggregate close to three-quarters of a million dollars.

The richest purse is for trotters—$15,000. It is known as the North Randal purse, open for all trotters except Peter Manning and Arion Guy.

# ANSWER NOTES ON YAP

## Replies From France and Britain Received — Comment Withheld

WASHINGTON, April 12.—France and Great Britain are understood to have replied to Secretary Hughes' recent notes regarding the Japanese mandate over Pacific Island of Yap. The British government's response is said to have been of a preliminary nature.

State department officers, while intimating that replies had been received, declined to say so positively, or to indicate their nature.

France, in replying to a previous American note regarding the Yap mandate, expressed the hope that the controversy between the United States and Japan on this subject could be settled by direct negotiations between them without involving her as a principal.

Some diplomats believe that her new communication goes farther, inasmuch as Mr. Hughes dealt with the whole subject of mandates, as well as with Yap specifically.

It has been the expectation of state department officers, and some foreign envoys as well, that the allied governments would admit the soundness of the American position that as one of the principal allied and associated powers in favor of which Germany by the treaty of Versailles renounced its rights and titles in its overseas possessions, the United States is entitled to a voice in the ultimate disposition of these territories.

It has been assumed that the application of the principle will be left to further negotiations. Details of the application, it is said, might embrace the awarding of mandates as well as the terms under which the former German territories would be administered. Ex-Secretary Colby, in his note to Great Britain on the Mesopotamian oil question, as well as in his communication of last February to the council of the League of Nations on the Yap mandate, contended that the American government should be given opportunity to pass upon the mandate forms before their final adoption.

In view of the supposed tentative character of the British reply to Mr. Hughes, there was little disposition in official circles to comment regarding the attitude of that government.

The opinion has been advanced, however, that Great Britain's attitude probably would be influenced in great measure by whether or not Japan insisted upon the carrying out of the terms of the treaty of London under which Great Britain and France agreed she should have the former German islands north of the Equator. This treaty was entered into before the United States declared war on Germany and at the time when Japan was asked to come more actively to the assistance of the European allies in combating the German submarine menace.

With the Yap mandate question apparently still far from settlement, it is not thought likely that the international communications conference, which resumes its session tomorrow, will make great progress toward agreement on the disposition of old German cables.

Norman E. Davis, former under secretary of state, who as chairman called tomorrow's meeting, was in conference with Secretary Hughes several hours yesterday. Mr. Davis later said the outlook for ultimate agreement among the conferees was good, although it is not believed probable that much progress will be made until the broader questions involved in the Yap discussions are disposed of.

## SETH TANNER

Th' best way to bust up a bridge whist party is t' tell some woman you've hired 'er cook away from 'er. Life seems to be pretty much one cheap magazine after another.

**AUTOMOBILE ON FIRE**

The fire department had to be called out, when an automobile was found burning on the East Chelmsford road about 10 o'clock last night. The auto, which had been abandoned, was standing between Gorham and Chelmsford streets.

# TO ASK REPEAL OF THE VOLSTEAD ACT

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Representative Hill, republican, of Maryland, will introduce a bill in congress this session to repeal the Volstead act. Two other members of the house delegation from his state, Linthicum, democrat, and Mudd, republican, will support the proposed measure.

Mr. Hill was elected on a wet platform. It is not his purpose to try to uproot the 18th amendment, but he thinks that the laws should be amended so as to eliminate restrictions not contemplated by many of those who voted to submit the amendment.

New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts and Missouri members will join in the movement to be launched by the Marylanders.

Wayne B. Wheeler, legislative watchdog for the Anti-Saloon league, said yesterday that a count of noses in the new congress told him the "drys" could win in any showdown contest.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue Williams quit yesterday and Millard F. West, his deputy in charge of accounts, became acting head of the bureau. Paul F. Myers, assistant commissioner, retired with Mr. Williams and will become his partner in a law firm.

The acting commissioner, Mr. West said yesterday afternoon that he was ready at a moment's notice from Secretary Mellon to take up the Palmer beer decision and frame a set of regulations to comply with its provisions. His first move, he declared, would be to have John F. Kramer, prohibition commissioner, send over a set of proposals. Asked if the retiring commissioner of revenue did not have on his desk tentative regulations to control the manufacture and sale of beer for medicinal purposes, Mr. West said nothing there would be used as a basis for the new regulations, but it would not require Mr. Kramer long to prepare a rough draft of what he desired.

# CHILD 21 DAYS WITH A BROKEN SKULL

BOSTON, April 12.—Six-year-old Daniel Casey of 28 Clinton street, Waltham, has gone three weeks with a fractured skull, according to a diagnosis made yesterday by physicians at City hospital, where he was taken by relatives to whom he had complained of pains in the head.

According to the story told hospital officials, the youngster was playing marbles about three weeks ago at the corner of Newton and Chelsea streets, in Waltham, when an automobile ran through the group and struck him. He was taken home at the time and received treatment for bruises. He continued going to school and following his normal youthful pursuits until last Saturday, when he began to complain of pains in his head. The visit to the hospital followed. It was said yesterday that the child's case was serious.

# TWO CUP RACE MEN NEARLY DROWNED

HALIFAX, N. S., April 12.—Captain Ringer and Harry Fritch of the American schooner Esperanto, which won the international schooner race last year, narrowly escaped drowning near Liverpool, N. S., yesterday, when their dory capsized in a heavy squall.

They had started to sail up the Mersey river when the squal struck their dory. It overturned and they clung to the craft until Michael Collins, an engineering officer on a dredge, and Geo. Lisgar of the government tug Lisgar reached them in a boat. Capt. Ringer and Fritch were nearly overcome with the cold when rescued.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Edward I. Brown, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George H. Allard, the junior of that name, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor, therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

George H. Allard, Jr., Attorney.

a9-12-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry H. Beard, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by John J. Harvey, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him or some other suitable person, the executrix named in said will having declined to accept the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

a9-11-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—Middlesex ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry M. Kabele, late of Westford, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary F. Kabele, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of April, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

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| 8.55 | 10.41 | 11.30 | 12.35 |

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# MISERY AND STARVATION

## Sir Paul Dukes Paints Terrible Picture of Conditions in Russia

### When Horse Falls Dead in Street Hungry People Hack it to Pieces

### Voices of Trotzky and Lenine Heard by Large Audience in Colonial Hall

Trotzky and Lenine spoke yesterday afternoon at the Monday meeting of the Middlesex Women's club, held in Colonial hall. Their voices, impassioned and eloquent, were heard by an audience which filled the floor and balcony. Although they spoke through the medium of the phonograph, the records were clear and life-like. The unusual feature was due to the enterprise of Sir Paul Dukes, who headed the British secret service in Russia during many months of the Bolshevik regime and who brought back propaganda and phonograph disks, carrying speeches by the two great leaders of the Red republic. Sir Dukes was knighted by King George in consequence of his fearless activities in Russia at a time when his discovery would have meant death. "I shall try to give you a faint idea of conditions under communism," he began, in a speech which was alive with vivid descriptions of hair-breadth escapes and daredevil adventure. He briefly sketched Russian history from the time of the 1913 revolution which had as its culmination the fall of Czar Nicholas. "This revolution," he said, "gave to the Russian people those liberties which had been denied them for centuries. It so happened that at that time Russia was at war with Germany, and the Germans immediately poured enormous sums of money into the seething country, to prevent their foes from making effective war. The result of the agitation produced by German gold had its manifestation in the second revolution, that which put Lenine and Trotzky in power." Sir Dukes told his hearers that only a half million of Russia's one hundred and fifty millions are Bolsheviks. But he explained their success in remaining in the saddle as being in consequence of their organization. He went on to describe the theory of Bolshevism. "The Bolshevik divides humanity into two classes," he said, "the bourgeoisie and the proletariat. Of course it is impossible so to divide humankind. There are more classes than the proletariat and the non-proletariat. But so the Bolsheviks put it. They also call the two divisions the "haves" and the "have nots." Their theory calls for the overthrow of the "haves" and the overthrow of the "proletarian dictatorship." Those overthrown include all the educated classes. Trotzky and Lenine call the present regime a dictatorship of the proletariat, but the people would call it a dictatorship over the proletariat. Hordes of poor believed that the dispossession of the bourgeoisie would mean paradise for the workers. But the time came when the bourgeoisie had no more of which to despoil them, and then the workers were disillusioned. But the Bolsheviks were the only organized group. Those in the seats of power had all the means of compulsion. Many would like to know why the patriotic Russians, if so greatly in the majority, have not thrown the dictators out. Armies have assembled on the borders, for the purpose of invading the homeland. The peasantry has at first been enthusiastic But the tragedy of such enterprises has been their backing. People were behind these movements, who had not learned the lessons of the first revolution. Behind Kolchak, Denikine and Wrangel were the landlords and those who desired the re-establishment of the czar. As soon as the peasants realized this, their support waned. Discontent filled the ranks, and revolts broke out in the rear. Any attack on Lenine and Trotzky, based on a desire to re-establish the old system, will meet failure. No one in Russia believes that Lenine and Trotzky will last forever. But they are afraid that any system put in force by Wrangel, Denikine or Kolchak, backed by the allies, might be a permanent and disagreeable system. So that they wish to wait for a while, until they see what they can put in the place of the Bolsheviks. What happens in Russia will depend on the peasants."

Life in Russia was depicted by stereopticon slides. The human abodes of the countrymen with their holes beneath the beds, where hogs and chickens repose, were shown. Stoves, with women sleeping on them to catch the last faint rays of warmth, because of fuel scarcity, were pictured. Sir Dukes narrated anecdotes of the peasant's propensity to scorn all Bolshevik money, all Russian money in fact, save czarist money. A facsimile of the czar's abdication appeared, with the signature, "Nicholas," at the bottom. There followed lurid Bolshevik propaganda cartoons.

"Private trade goes on in Russia on a large scale," said the speaker, "despite government prohibition of such practices. It cannot be repressed. Sellers and buyers meet on the pavement of the squares, which are filled with merchants at most times. The Red guards sometimes raid the marketplaces, and then there is a scurrying, the dealers hurriedly placing their goods in sacks and making for shelter. A dozen of the thousands who are selling may be captured. But an hour later, when one returns, there are just as many people trading as before. There are 'sack carriers' who run the gauntlet of guards from the provinces to the cities, riding on the roofs of the trains, and otherwise eluding the law. Horseflesh is a rare luxury. The moment a horse falls dead on the streets, people rush and hack it to pieces. Fuel is even harder to get than food, for it cannot so easily be carried in a sack." Sir Dukes said that marriage is a simple matter under the Bolshevik rule. A couple merely go before a magistrate, express a mutual desire to wed, clasp a corner of the red bander in token of their resolution, sign their names, and the thing is done. One may marry and be divorced several times in a day.

"The Bolshevik leaders see liberty for the proletariat," said Sir Dukes, "only in seas of non-proletariat blood. They are ruthless in tehir executions, and attribute their domination to the stupidity of the Russians. But the Russians are far from stupid. All Great Russian music finds its inspiration in the peasantry, and from the folk-songs of the peasantry. The common people have marvelous painters among them, men who can study a painting for a couple of hours, and then reproduce it so faithfully that one is at a loss to tell which is the original and which the copy." After describing his adventures in eluding the Red police, who were many times on his track, the speaker concluded by expressing confidence that England and America will some day work hand in hand in Russia, giving real liberty to the people of that nation.

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# UNION BRINGS SUIT FOR MILLION

## Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America Sue Clothing Mfg. Association

### Seeks to Prevent Anti-Union Activities — Outcome of Lockout and Strike

NEW YORK, April 12.—The Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America today brought suit against the Clothing Manufacturers' Association and many of its members for an injunction to restrain them from anti-union activities. Damages of $1,000,000 are sought on the ground that the defendants have conspired to destroy the union.

The suit grows out of the lockout and strike in the clothing industry which has been in progress nearly five months, throwing more than 65,000 workers out of employment and resulting in the union being made the target for nearly a score of court attacks.

Manufacturers have obtained injunctions restraining the union in its picketing activities and have demanded millions of dollars in damages. One suit against the union seeking $500,000 damages recently was dismissed.

The Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' Protective Association today announced measures to be instituted immediately in an effort to lower production costs for next fall.

These provide for a uniform reduction in wages, an increase in the number of working hours per week, and the right of employers to select and retain employes who are best suited to conditions prevailing in the individual factories.

The association severed relations with the International Ladies' Garment Workers' union last October.

## HELD FOR THE JUVENILE COURT

Joseph W. Lescard will appear in the juvenile court on Friday morning, to answer charges of unlawfully taking an automobile. The boy was before Judge Enright this morning, and was given a continuance to the date of the juvenile session. The car, a Ford roadster, the property of William J. Burbeck, was taken and abandoned on the same evening. Officers Molony and Liston recovered it on Summer street. While Lescard was driving the machine, Officer Owen S. Conway, who made the arrest, recognized him, but was unable to pursue him as there were no other automobiles in sight. Conway states that when he finally apprehended Lescard, he admitted taking possession of the car.

### CARD OF THANKS

To the many that helped to lighten the burden by their sympathy and kind remembrances, in the death of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Caroline Gomes, we, the undersigned, wish to extend our thanks and appreciation.

MANUEL GOMES,
LUIS GOMES.

### CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends and the Ladies' Aid of the Centralville M.E. church for their comforting words, acts of kindness and many beautiful floral tributes during the recent illness and death of our dearly beloved daughter and sister.

MR. and Mrs. GEO. E. CLOGSTON and Family.

ABOUT THIS TIME O' YEAR

## DEATHS

CAHILL—Mrs. Julia (Rowe) Cahill, the well known dresmaker, died last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Madaline Scannell, 14 West Bowers street. Deceased was a well known resident of this city and a member of St. Patrick's parish. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Madaline Scannell and Mrs. Genevieve Cahill; two sons, Thomas F. of New York and Joseph W. of Lowell; one sister, Mrs. George Coupe; five brothers, Thomas, Joseph, Edward, George and Vincent Rowe of Lowell, and three grandchildren.

DEAN—Mrs. Mary Dean, an old resident of this city, died this morning at the Chelmsford street hospital, aged 73 years. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

## FUNERALS

O'HARE—The funeral of John P. O'Hare took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the home of his brother, Francis J. O'Hare, 293 Pleasant street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 9 o'clock, a funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. William Keenan, of Gloucester, a cousin of the deceased. Seated within the sanctuary were Rev. Daniel J. Ketcher, Ph.D., Rev. Conrad Quirbach of Newton Centre, Rev. John Duffy, O.M.I. and Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Miss Mary Rynne, James E. Donnelly and Joseph Egan. Present at the mass were many friends of deceased prominent in business and civil life in addition to relatives and friends of the family. There was a profusion of floral tributes and numerous spiritual offerings, touching tokens of sorrow from the friends of deceased. The following delegation represented the Alpine club: Messrs. John Highland, Frank Marren and Thomas Lynch. The bearers were Messrs. Robert J. Crowley, Esq., Joseph Farrell, Henry Farrell, William H. Connors, Edward Donohoe and Michael Carroll. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Keenan, assisted by Rev. Fr. Quirbach, Rev. Fr. Shea and Rev. Fr. Linehan. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MENDES—The funeral of Mary Mendes took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, Manuel and Virginia Gonsalves Mendes, 167 Tremont street. Services were held in St. Anthony's church, the prayers being read by Rev. Fr. Perry. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

SEXTON—The funeral services of Walker Howard Sexton were held at his home in Billerica Centre yesterday afternoon, and were largely attended by relatives, friends and a large delegation from Thomas Talbot lodge, A.F. and A.M., of which the deceased was a member. The services were conducted by Rev. William Walsh, pastor of the Unitarian church of Billerica, and Mrs. H. D. Livingston sang appropriate selections. There were many flowers. The bearers were A. H. Mitchell, Dr. Warren Stearns, John Barrington, Ellis F. Colgate, Albert W. Richardson, Arthur S. Cook and E. C. Vining. Burial was in the family lot in North cemetery, where the delegation of Masons read the Masonic burial service. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

RICHARDSON—The funeral services of Miss Nellie Smith Richardson were held at the rooms of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake yesterday afternoon. Rev. Cyrus Richardson, D.D., pastor of the Congregational church of Concord, Mass., officiating. Mrs. George Spaulding sang appropriate selections. There were many flowers. The bearers were Walter Thissell, Harold Fox, John Trull and Harry Fox. Burial was in the family lot in Bracut cemetery.

CONNOR—The funeral of John Connor took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 46 Oak street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including several from Manchester, N. H. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. T. Wade Smith, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Henry B. Burns, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. Thos. F. Coffey, O.M.I., as sub-deacon. The choir, directed by Mr. Charles P. Smith sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Mr. Smith and Mrs. Hugh Walker. Mrs. Walker also presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes, also many spiritual remembrances from sympathizing relatives and friends. There was a delegation in attendance from Industry council, No. 1722, Royal Arcanum, as follows: Richard T. Mower, P. R., Joseph H. Gormley, P.R., John W. Sharkey, secretary, and Joseph F. Handley. The bearers were Messrs. George R. Meyers, George O. Perreault, George S. Howard, Patrick Montague, J. Joseph Whelton and James Haley. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Tighe, O.M.I., read the committal service at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna had charge of the arrangements.

DAVEY—The funeral of Peter Davey took place this morning at 9 o'clock, from his home, 58 Bartlett street. At the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock, solemn high funeral mass was sung by Rev. Owen P. McQuade, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Henry Burns, O.M.I., as deacon, and Rev. James Coffey, O.M.I., as subdeacon. Seated within the sanctuary were Rev. Eugene P. Dorgan, O.M.I., Rev. T. W. Smith, O.M.I., and Rev. J. C. Duffy, O.M.I. An augmented choir, directed by Mr. Charles P. Smith, rendered beautiful and appropriate music. Solos were rendered by Miss Etta King, Miss Frances Tighe, Messrs. P. F. Haggerty and William Gookin. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. The church was well filled with sorrowing relatives and friends, including many from other cities. There were many floral and spiritual offerings. The bearers were Messrs. Charles Rounds of Malden, John Welch, Frank Gargan, George Gallagher, Michael Ford and John Tansey. Messrs. John and James Roarke served as ushers. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Very Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Fr. McQuald, O.M.I., and Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. C. Clinton Rounds of Malden, Mass., and under the general direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

COSTA—The funeral of Manuel Costa took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Manuel and Francisco G. Costa Costa, 134 Gorham street. Services were held in St. Anthony's church at 1 o'clock, the prayers being read by Rev. Fr. Perry. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

CAHILL—The funeral of Mrs. Julia Rowe Cahill will take place Thursday morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Madaline Scannell, 14 West Bowers street, at 8.15 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

BIRCHALL—The funeral of James Birchall will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter P. Birchall, 31 Stanley street. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Mrs. Anne Sullivan will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 9 Burtt street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Margaret's church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SAVARD—The funeral of Alfred Savard will take place Wednesday morning at 8.15, from his late home, 84 Ford street. Solemn high mass will be celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock. Burial in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral Director Joseph Albert in charge.

### IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Annie Bergen of Swampscott, Mass., formerly of Lowell, who died March 15, 1921.

Each spring the Incas of Peru used to celebrate the festival of the sun.

# BOTH SIDES SEE LLOYD GEORGE

## Mine Owners and Coal Diggers Received by British Premier Again Today

### Hope of Agreement to Prevent Walkout by Transport Workers and R. R. Men

LONDON, April 12.—Both sides in the controversy between mine owners and coal diggers which brought about the strike of British miners last week, were received by Premier Lloyd George today. The mine owners conferred with Mr. Lloyd George at 11 o'clock, and the miners were ready to talk with the premier immediately after the conclusion of his conversation with the owners.

Representatives of the miners will report to the "tripue alliance of labor" later in the day as to whether the prospects of a settlement are sufficiently favorable to justify the postponement of the strike of the National Union of Railwaymen and the National Federation of Transport Workers, members of which are prepared to walk out at 12 o'clock tonight. It was declared here today that there would be no strike of these two organizations unless negotiations to be carried out today broke down.

Prospects were generally held not to be unfavorable, although a member of the miners' executive committee said last night: "We have not come to grips as yet on counter proposals." Yesterday's proceedings barely passed the preliminary stage of the statement of the respective cases of those directly involved in the miners' strike.

It was stated in various quarters today that the miners were prepared to accept a wage reduction by the establishment of a sliding scale schedule based on the cost of living. It was pointed out that, in even the most unfavorable circumstances, the transport strike cannot begin until Friday, as seamen and firemen, whose union is affiliated with the transport workers' federation, insisted on a ballot before walking out. This vote began today, and will continue four days to be cast.

Operations to insure the safety of the mines from floods of water are proceeding without hindrance in most of the coal fields in the United Kingdom.

The only exception is found in Fifeshire, where only two of 64 pits are being pumped.

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Miss Mabelle F. Whitlock of Bibeault & Stevens' Middlesex garage has been appointed a notary public by Gov. Cox.

Don't fail to hear Helen Osgood in her selected program of monologues poems. Colonial hall, Thursday night.

The social service and T. B. societies of Lowell met this afternoon at the rooms of the chamber of commerce. The T. B. society will meet again at 2.30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Walter A. Hall of 573 Broadway, this city, has been awarded the Bowditch scholarship at Harvard. This award, which is made by the vote of the Harvard corporation, is for the academic year of 1920-1921.

The fire protection committee of the Lowell chamber of commerce met today at 12.30 p. m. in the Colonial restaurant, Prescott street. The Colonial will also be the scene of a meeting of the membership committee tomorrow at noon.

The Oakleaves were forfeited the game played with the Alpines Sunday afternoon on Christian Hill terrace, following an argument in which several of the Alpine players disputed a decision of Umpire Burke. The game was forfeited at the end of the eighth inning when the score stood 10 to 19. McGraw and Riley starred for the winners and Woods and Sullivan for the Alpines.

A very pleasant shower was given in honor of Miss Hazel G. Sullivan at the home of Mrs. Russell P. Sullivan, 318 Westford, last evening. Refreshments were served and musical numbers rendered by the many friends of the bride-to-be. Those participating in the numbers were Miss Rita Halloran, Mrs. Frank Golden and Miss Mae Corey. A most enjoyable recitation was given by Miss Louise G. Roche entitled "Casey at the Bat." The party broke up at a late hour, wishing Miss Sullivan a very happy future. Miss Sullivan is to become the bride of Mr. Wm. Hale Dwyer of Haverhill.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lowell Teachers organization will be held in high school hall tomorrow afternoon at 4.15, and will take the form of a reception to Miss Mary A. Webster. A musical program will be carried out and will include selections by Mrs. James A. Murphy, soprano, and Mrs. Ella Reilly Toye, pianist. There will be addresses by Mayor Thompson, Chairman Delaney of the school board, and Supt. Mollor. Refreshments will be served.

# NEW ENGLAND STATES COUNCIL ORGANIZED

BOSTON, April 12—The New England states council was organized here yesterday to co-ordinate activity in the study and solution of important problems affecting the economic welfare of this part of the country.

Representatives of the state and city chambers of commerce, granges, farm bureaus, manufacturing, transportation and banking interests and other organizations fostered the new trade body. They selected an executive committee provisionally representative of states and economic groups.

William T. Cobb, former governor, was named to represent Maine. Others to represent their states were Ralph D. Hetzel, president of New Hampshire college, New Hampshire; Charles G. Staples, president of the Vermont Bankers' association, Vermont; Horace A. Carter, president state chamber of commerce, Massachusetts; George B. Chandler, secretary of the Connecticut chamber of commerce, Connecticut.

Group interests represented on the executive committee included: Agriculture, W. J. Thompson, master of the Maine State Grange, and Dr. A. W. Gilbert, Massachusetts commissioner of agriculture; commerce, Isador Wise, Hartford, Conn., and James A. Guinac, president of the Maine state chamber of commerce, Bangor; finance, Charles G. Bancroft, president of the International Trust Co., Boston; manufacturing industries, E. Kent Hubbard, president Connecticut Manufacturers' association, Bridgeport, and Orra L. Stone, general manager Associated Industries of Massachusetts, Boston.

Vacancies on the committee to be filled later include representation for the state of Rhode Island, an additional representative for finance and two representatives of transportation interests.

"DOLLAR PRINCE" AND FIANCEE

The engagement of William B. Leeds, Jr., of New York to Princess Xenia of Greece, has just been announced. Leeds is 18, and the son of the late millionaire tin-plate king. His mother is Princess Anastasia of Greece. His fortune is about $30,000,000. Princess Xenia is 17 and and the niece of King Constantine of Greece.

### CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all who by their acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and offerings of floral tributes and spiritual bouquets served to lessen the burden of our grief on the death of our loving father, also the employes of the Chelmsford street hospital. Their kindness will ever be remembered by

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# GREAT DEMONSTRATION IN CONGRESS AS HARDING DECLARES U.S. WILL HAVE NO PART IN LEAGUE

## Body of Man Believed to be Former Captain of Canadian Expeditionary Forces Found in Canal Today

### NO SIGNS OF FOUL PLAY

**Description of Body Furnished by Medical Examiner T. B. Smith**

Discovery of Discharge Papers Most Important Result of Examination

Unusually mysterious circumstances surround the discovery in the waters of the Merrimack canal this morning of the body of a midle-aged man, thought to be G. L. Lemoine, former captain of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces and possibly a former resident of Sorel, Province of Quebec, Canada.

The body was found floating down the canal shortly after 10 o'clock this morning by Michael McAuliffe of 25 Kirk street and Powell Ray of 6½ Sixth avenue, who were standing on the bridge over the canal in Merrimack street, opposite the Y.M.C.A. They immediately rushed into Lucy Larcom park which runs along the canal, secured a hook from the lifesaving apparatus there and pulled the body ashore a short distance from the Merrimack mills. They were assisted by Patrolmen Simon Lane, Daniel Donovan and Frank Murphy, and the body was removed to the undertaking rooms of C. H. Molloy's Sons in Market street.

Examination there by Medical Examiner Thomas B. Smith disclosed the body of a man 5 feet 7½ inches in height, weighing about 180 pounds, and in somewhat poor condition because of advancing decomposition.

The man had very black hair and his head was beginning to become bald in front. His eyebrows and eyelashes were black and unusually heavy. In the lower jaw there was a gold-filled tooth and several teeth were missing. All the fingers of his right hand except the thumb and forefinger, were missing and there were large scars on the outer side of his forearm.

**Discharge Papers Found**

The most important result of the examination was the discovery in the inside pocket of the dead man's coat of a discharge certificate with the name: "Capt. G. L. Lemoine, 60th battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Forces." The discharge address was given as 51 Adelaide street, Sorel, Province of Quebec, Canada, and the discharge serial

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### WANTS TREES REMOVED

Smith J. Adams Asks City to Make Way for South Common Diamond

The municipal council at its meeting this morning, received a petition signed by Smith J. Adams, asking that certain old trees on the South common be removed in order that the baseball stadium may be made over. A public hearing on the matter was requested. It was voted to refer the petition to the park department.

The council also approved a contract entered into by Commissioners Marchand and Salmon with Percy F. Gilbert of Andover, for his services as supervisory architect for the erection of a new firehouse at the junction of Pine and Stevens streets. Mr. Gilbert is to receive as his com-

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### LOWELL ROTARY CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The Lowell Rotary club held its annual election of officers at its regular noonday luncheon at the Boys' club in Dutton street this noon. Robert A. Thompson was elected president to succeed Harry G. Pollard and the following other officers were also elected to serve for the ensuing year: Vice President, H. Hutchins Parker; treasurer, Charles H. Hobson, secretary; F. Leroy Parchert; sergeant-at-arms, Charles Grasse; directors, Robert A. Thompson, Harry G. Pollard, Abel R. Campbell, Charles H. Hobson, Frank B. Kenney, William A. Mitchell, Harry Pitts and H. Hutchins Parker.

Francis W. Gibbs of Pittsburg gave an interesting talk on modern conditions and the usual program of entertainment was carried out.

**GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE**

The grievance committee of the Municipal Employes' union will meet Commissioner John F. Salmon at his office in city hall this evening to discuss the action of Mr. Salmon in laying off regular employes of the water department for a week at a time to give employment to others who are in want. It is contended that this is against the rules of the civil service commission. The conference is called for 7 o'clock.

**BRUSH AND RUBBISH FIRES**

The alarm from box 552 shortly before 1.30 o'clock this afternoon was for a brush fire in the woods off Stevens st. At 1.30 o'clock there was a telephone alarm for a brush fire off Boylston street and at 1.41 o'clock a still alarm was given for a rubbish fire under a flight of stairs at 72 Cabot street.

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### CHEERS GREET HARDING'S STAND

**Great Demonstration as President Declares Against League of Nations**

Peace by Congressional Resolution Also Met With Approval

WASHINGTON, April 12.—President Harding's declaration in his first message to congress today that the United States would have no part in the League of Nations was received with a great demonstration.

Republican members of the senate and house, who, with members of the cabinet, crowded the house chamber to hear him deliver his message in person, applauded vigorously. The demonstration quickly grew in cheering, the republican members standing.

The galleries joined in the demonstration and it was some minutes before quiet was restored. The democratic members, many with stolid faces and folded arms, did not join in the demonstration. Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, who led the long fight in the senate in favor of the league, smiled broadly, however.

Frequent applause from the republican side interrupted other portions of the president's statement on the league. Peace by congressional resolution also met with demonstrations of approval, but there was no applause for the suggestion that the peace terms of the treaty of Versailles be ratified with safeguarding reservations.

The president's address contained about 6500 words and 55 minutes were required for its reading. His concluding statement regarding the peace and the league was delivered slowly with solemn emphasis. The audience rose and cheered as he finished, tucked his nose glasses in his pocket, shook hands with Vice President Coolidge and Speaker Gillett and left the hall.

**MAYOR INVITED**

Mayor Perry D. Thompson has received an invitation from Mayor J. V. Kimball of Malden to attend the mayors' night of the Malden chamber of commerce industrial exposition next Monday evening. All the mayors of the state have been asked to be present. The exposition is to continue a week.

### HUMOR AND COMMON SENSE

**Delightful Talk on Optimists and Optimism by John Kendrick Bangs**

"Faith in His God, Country and Fellow Men" is Bangs' Religion

**Crowd That Fills High School Hall to Overflowing Hears Noted Humorist**

Proclaiming a creed of optimism, and interspersing the statement of his philosophy with examples of the humor which has made his name a blessed one in millions of American homes, John Kendrick Bangs, author of cheerful books dear to a host of readers, spoke last evening before a crowd which crammed every available inch of high school hall. The event marked the closing lecture of the Moses Greeley Parker course, and Mr. Bangs took for his subject "The Incorrigible Optimist." In opening his discourse, Mr. Bangs detailed his travels in search of an adequate definition of the word "optimist." He was told at the start, by the author of the dictionary, that an optimist is "one who believes that everything is for the best." He found

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### HARDING DELIVERS ADDRESS IN PERSON

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Following a custom inaugurated by George Washington, abandoned by Thomas Jefferson, and revived by Woodrow Wilson, President Harding delivered his first message to congress today in person. The two houses assembled in joint session in the house chamber to hear the executive outline his views with regard to the many domestic and foreign problems pressing for solution.

### BRAND NEW TRICK IN BOOZE TRAFFIC

Here's a swindle that takes the record in the annals of the local liquor squad. About a month ago, five 10-gallon cans were seized by Officers Clark, Winn, O'Sullivan and Kivlan in a Washington street barn.

Subsequently the owner of the premises appeared in court and paid a fine of $100 for illegal keeping. He lamented to members of the police force the fact that within a few minutes he would have sold the stuff, which had just been delivered to his premises via auto truck. He lost not only his $100 fine, but several hundred for the supposed 50-gallons of alcohol. Yes, "supposed" is right. For the liquor officers discovered today, after the five cans had repused at police headquarters for a month, that each was fitted with an "inner tube," as it were.

This was filled with about a pint of "alkie." Outside this tube there was, not fire-water, but just plain water itself. In other words, the chap who paid $100 fine for having 50 gallons of grain alcohol in his possession, in reality had only a few pints. The rest was harmless and perfectly legal water. Here's another angle of the story. The officers, just before they raided the barn, received a tip via telephone to the effect that spirits would be found there. It is now believed that the unknown who attempted to "gyp" the victim who passed over a good round sum for a mere trickle of "alkie," was also the one who 'phoned headquarters, in an effort to have the alcohol confiscated before the cheat was discovered by the purchaser.

But, strange to say, not a living soul suspected that all was not as it should be, until one of the cans, from which the stopper had fallen out, tipped over, and only a small pool of alcohol was on the floor. Yet, although a stick put full length into the opening of the can came out dry when one lifted the can it was as heavy as though full. One of the liquor officers then went carefully over the surface of the can and found a tiny soldered spot. He tapped the solder away, and out came—pure, honest, lawful water—quarts of it. The liquor squad are telling a story today to the effect that they called up the defendant, who paid the $100 fine and told him of the cheat that had been pulled off at his expense, although the law prevented him from finding it out. "Can't I sue him?" was the answer over the wire.

Persia has no distilleries, breweries or saloons.

Own a Dort, you'll like it!

## President Tells Congress He Will Approve "Declaratory Resolution With Qualifications Essential to Protect All Our Rights and End Technical State of War"

### President Harding's Principal Recommendations to Congress

WASHINGTON, April 12—President Harding's principal recommendations to congress in his first annual address delivered today included the following:

**Foreign Relations**

No separate peace treaties with the central powers "on the assumption alone that these would be adequate."

"The wiser course would seem to be . . . . . to engage under the existing treaty, assuming of course that this can be satisfactorily accomplished by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom of inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests. . . . . No helpful society of nations can be founded on justice and committed to peace until the covenants re-establishing peace are sealed by the nations which were at war.

**Taxation**

Readjustment of internal taxes and revision or repeal "of those taxes which have become unproductive and are so artificial and burdensome as to defeat their own purpose."

**Tariff**

Instant tariff enactment, "emergency in character and understood by our people that it is for the emergency only."

**Railroads**

Efficiency operation "at a cost with-

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### FIRST ADDRESS TO CONGRESS

**President Submits Recommendations and Outlines Foreign Policy**

Declares Unreservedly Against "The Existing League of Nations"

**Peace Engagements, However, Cannot Ignore Old World Relationships**

To Engage Under Existing Treaty With Proper Safeguards

WASHINGTON, April 12.—President Harding in his first address to congress today announced that he would approve a "declaratory resolution" by congress, "with qualifications essential to protect all our rights" which would end the "technical state of war against the central powers of Europe."

He added, however, that "it would be idle to declare for separate treaties of peace with the central powers on the assumption alone that these would be adequate because the situation is so involved that our peace engagements cannot ignore the old world relationships and the settlements already effected, nor is it desirable to do so in preserving out own rights and contracting our future relationships."

Although declaring unreservedly against "the existing League of Nations" the president said: "The wiser course would seem to be the acceptance of the confirmation of our rights and interests as already provided and to engage under the existing treaty, assuming, of course, that this can be satisfactorily accomplished by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom from inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests."

An association of nations, the president said, could not be founded until the world was at peace.

### LONGE GUILTY OF MURDER

**Fairhaven Man Convicted of Second Degree Murder at Rutland, Vt.**

Jury Had Been Out 24 Hours—Stay of Sentence Granted

RUTLAND, Vt., April 12.—A jury which had deliberated for 24 hours today found Peter W. Longe of Fairhaven guilty of second degree murder for the death of Owen Hayes, six months ago. Counsel for the defendant moved that the verdict be set aside and a stay of sentence was allowed pending arguments.

When the verdict came Longe had at his side his 15-year-old daughter Madeline, whose relation of statements which she had said were made by her father resulted in changing the official view of Hayes' death from one of accidental drowning to one due to an assault with intent at robbery. The body of Hayes was found floating in the Castleton river at Fairhaven last October.

Both father and daughter took the pronouncement calmly. As at other times since his trial, during which Madeline repudiated her first statements, the child and her parent embraced, and he was then returned to jail.

### PACKERS MUST SELL INTERESTS

**Agree to Divest Themselves of Stockyards and R. R. Terminals**

Agreement Reached Between Swift & Co., Armour & Co. and Dept. of Justice

WASHINGTON, April 12.—A new plan under which Swift & Co. and Armour & Co. are to divest themselves of their interests in stockyards and stockyard terminal railroads, was agreed to, today, by the department of justice and immediately approved by Justice Stafford of the District of Columbia supreme court.

Under the plan the packers are to deposit their stocks in the yards and terminals with the Illinois Trust and Savings bank of Chicago, for administration by two trustees, Henry W. Anderson of Richmond, Va., and George Sutherland of Salt Lake City, Utah, until sold, which must be within one year.

The trustees are to receive salaries of $10,000 a year each, and will have power to interfere in the management of any stockyard or railroad if in the

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### SCHOOLBOYS MEET ON SOUTH COMMON

Everything is in readiness for the schoolboys' meet of the grammar schools of the city, which will take place on the South common oval in the morning of Tuesday, April 19, and Major Walter R. Jeyes, director of physical training for the public schools, has spared nothing to make the event most attractive.

The events as prepared will be as follows: 100-yard dash, class A; 100-yard dash, class B; 220-yard dash,

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HOW TO USE
BLACK IRON STOVE POLISH

Shake the bottle well and apply sparingly to the top of the stove in the morning before starting the fire; then start the fire and as soon as the front covers and cross section are just about dry, which generally requires less than two minutes, start burnishing the entire top working fast so stove will not become too hot while working over it, and finish off the top with a dry cloth or an old piece of velvet preferred. The entire operation should not require over five minutes.

Go over the rest of your stove with the moist stove polish rag and finish with a dry rag or old piece of velvet.

If covers or front of stove redden up quickly, change covers around or go over them with fine emery paper or wire wool waste to roughen them up a little and apply the polish in the usual way. Cut out and save these directions.

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TWO OUTFITS FOR THE STREET

Here are shown two spring outfits for the street. The one on the left is of blue-headed tricotine. Furs are of gray fox and hat is of blue and gray with a cocke feather. The suit on the right is of blue, trimmed in henna braid. The hat is of black milan, trimmed in henna ribbon.

# LOWELL MAN SAYS CINOT GAVE HIM WONDERFUL RELIEF

**Mr. Richard Lendrum of 8 Howard St., Lowell, and an Employe of The City Iron Foundry for Twenty-five Years, Says Great Words for the Herbal Tonic CINOT**

Mr. Lendrum, who is well known in Lowell is glad to say kind words about CINOT because the relief he received from that remedy was just what he was looking for and being an honest man he felt he should give his fellow beings the benefit of his experience, he says:

"I have carried my dinner to work for so many years that it hurt my digestion and I would get sour acid stomach and heartburn with splitting headaches and specks before my eyes."

"I did not feel just right and was really out of sorts and felt as tired when I got up in the morning as when I went to bed at night and I began looking around for a good medicine. A friend told me about CINOT and I received great results."

"My stomach trouble has left me and I am feeling better in every way and do not hesitate to endorse CINOT as a wonder remedy of the age."

CINOT is being demonstrated in Lowell by an expert at Dows' Drug Store, Merrimack square and is for sale by all druggists everywhere.—Adv.

# WORST TIMES AT HAND

## Skeffington Declares Radical Employers Are in Saddle With Bit in Teeth

BOSTON, April 12.—This country is facing the worst times, so far as the industrial situation and collective bargaining are concerned, that it has ever seen, Henry J. Skeffington, commissioner of immigration at this port, declared yesterday in addressing delegates to the revision convention of the Granite Cutters' International Association of America.

"It will take our wisdom and fidelity to the unions to pull through," he added. "The radicals among the employers are now in the saddle with the bit in their teeth.

"The manufacturers care nothing about standards of living or about civilization but would squeeze the last drop of blood from the poor devils who work for them for 15 cents an hour.

"That is why they want the ports open so that they can break down the skilled crafts unions. This is the most acute crisis the world has ever seen."

The granite cutters' delegates, numbering about 85, will be in convention here for about two weeks to revise the constitution of the association. James Duncan, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, is presiding over the sessions.

## PARENTS THREATEN TO KILL CHILDREN

WESTFIELD, April 12.—Parents have threatened their children with bodily harm and even death if they give school authorities further information on ether drugging that has now become popular among many residents here, according to investigations made yesterday by school superintendent Chester D. Stiles. One woman told the superintendent she would drown her children if he attempted to get any more information. Director H. G. Lythgoe of the state department of health will arrive Wednesday to look into the situation.

## EMULATE SPIRIT OF BOSTON TEA PARTY

HATFIELD, April 12.—Declaring that in so doing they are emulating the spirit of the Boston Tea Party, more than 100 citizens of this town at a special town meeting last night passed a resolution pledging themselves to ignore the state daylight saving law. This is the fourth town in the Connecticut Valley officially to take such action.

## REPORT OF DEATHS

**For Week Ending April 9, 1921**

March
31—Elizabeth McCarthy, 60, arterio-sclerosis.
Joseph A. A. Jacques, 9m, broncho-pneumonia.
April
1—Diamantino Azevedo, 1, encephalo-myelitis.
Hazel R. Plummer, 8, gen. septic peritonitis.
Izabella Jankowska, 24, broncho-pneumonia.
Mary Fitzgerald, 80, arterio-sclerosis.
Bridget C. Cahill, 68, illum. gas poisoning.
Constance Pereira, 4 m., cap. bronchitis.
2—Charles Lafole, 64, acetonaemia.
Astrid W. Bengtson, 13, rheumatic fever.
Agnes Dwinell, 17 h, ac. suffocation.
James Christie, 77, lob. pneumonia.
William Reardon, 76, cancer.
3—Evagella J. Drivas, 8 m, broncho-pneumonia.
Michael Flynn, 2 d, adynamia.
Elias H. Fogg, 90, arterio-sclerosis.
Isabelle Myers, 35, cer. embolism.
Ida I. Kelly, 28, puerperal sepsis.
5—Elizabeth F. Fox, 58, interstitial nephritis.
Victoria Dalphond, 78, cer. hemorrhage.
Benjamin C. Murray, Jr., 15, septicaemia.
Ellen Moloney, 65, arterio-sclerosis.
Oscar Gervais, 2, lob. pneumonia.
6—Francis L. Gallant, 12 d, ac. peritonitis.
Peter Szostakowski, 3 m, prolapse of umb. cord.
Anthony Boudzewicz, 7, general.
Mary P. Keane, 23, mil. tuberculo-peritonitis.
7—Ella Verry, 27, peritonitis.
Daniel R. Thomas, 2 m, gastro-enteritis.
Wilfrid Turgeon, 7 m, oedema of glottis.
Eugene Therriault, 59, atheroma of arteries.
8—Mary E. Rufe, 53, pneumonia.
9—Ellen Little, 66, endocarditis.

STEPHEN FLYNN, City Clerk.

## BATH A LUXURY IN GERMANY

BERLIN, April 12.—The hot bath has become such a luxury in Germany owing to the shortage of coal and the manner in which the government regulates the distribution of fuel that many persons have ceased bathing. Others have gathered courage for an icy sponge daily, but this is not popular for the houses are generally cold and exposure in cold rooms after a chilly tub paves the way for colds and pneumonia.

Ordinarily a family can afford hot water once every two weeks. Hotels where nationals of entente nations reside supply running hot water.

Public baths, where once a plunge or a tub was available for a few pfennings, have been forced to close or raise prices beyond the reach of workmen and salaried workers. Only expensive bathing places remain open, for the patronage of the profiteers. In Berlin six or eight bathing establishments have gone out of business.

This situation has produced hygienic conditions which have caused much discussion among health authorities and suggestions have been made that the several cities assume the task of providing proper public bathing facilities. However, the cities also are handicapped by lack of funds, shortage of coal, and the government rationing regulations.

Nearly all German houses in the cities are equipped with modern plumbing and numerous bathrooms and before the war the Germans were insistent on the daily hot bath.

# BOSTON OFFICER KILLS EAST BOSTON MAN

BOSTON, April 12.—Angelo Barbanto, aged 50, said to have lived at 36 Trenton street, East Boston, was shot and killed about 11.40 last night by Patrolman Harold B. Titus of the East Boston police station.

The shooting occurred at 127 Saratoga street, whither the officer had been called to quell a disturbance.

It is said that Titus took hold of Barbanto to arrest him, whereupon Barbanto pulled a stiletto and tried to use it on the officer. Titus, in self-defense, it is declared, pulled his revolver and fired five shots, all of which took effect.

The wounded man was rushed to the East Boston Relief hospital, but was dead on arriving there.

**MEET AFTER 56 YEARS**

CHICAGO, April 12.—Henry Reutel's mother was told that he had been killed in action. That was in the Civil war. His brother, Christen, has just found him here. They hadn't seen each other for 56 years.

**PEDIGREED POTATOES**

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 12.—John Moser, farmer, gets $7 a bushel for his potatoes. That's because he selected 25 Irish Cobblers of uniform size and developed a crop of the same size. These he sells for seed.

A boy who opened motorcar doors before a Paris restaurant averaged $50 a day in tips.

## CATARRHAL DEAFNESS MAY BE OVERCOME

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head and ear noises or are growing hard of hearing go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmint (double strength), and add to it ½ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.—Adv.


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## WARNS OF ICEBERGS IN OCEAN LANES

NEW YORK, April 12—A special warning against icebergs, reported yesterday as only 30 miles from the track of west-bound transatlantic steamers into New York, was issued here yesterday by the United States hydrographic office.

The warning read:

"Many icebergs only 30 miles from the west-bound track to New York, involving great danger to shipping unless tracks be shifted to southward immediately. Urge steamship companies to accept previous recommendation from hydrographic office that they shift tracks 60 miles to southward without further delay."

## TOWN ALTERS NAME

**Paper Opposed, So Town Gets No Publicity**

YORK, S. C., April 12.—Six years ago, following a political fight, the name of this town established in 1785, was changed from Yorkville to York. The Yorkville Enquirer, country newspaper, opposed the change, and refused to accept it. The staff was given instructions to use Yorkville in the news columns. As a result Yorkville gets more publicity than York.

The management of the newspaper also refuses to accept checks made in favor of "The New York Enquirer," as sometimes occurs.

## DENIED RIGHT TO PRESCRIBE LIQUOR

NEW YORK, April 12.—The right to prescribe liquor to his patients was denied Dr. Donald McCaskey yesterday by Judge Everett B. Holmes of the legal staff of the federal prohibition commission. Judge Holmes, who concurred in the decision of Federal Prohibition Director Charles R. O'Connor, said this was practically a test case of the right of a federal officer to revoke the right of a physician to prescribe.

It was alleged at a hearing of Dr. McCaskey's case last week that he had written 46 prescriptions for liquor in a single day just before Christmas, and that 32 of these prescriptions were issued to employes of a large hotel. Allegations were made that some of these were in the nature of tips and Christmas gifts. Mr. O'Connor said no prescription blanks would be issued to the physician for one year.

Customs officers yesterday dug 75 cases of unopened and unsealed whiskey, champagne and benedictine from beneath tons of bunker coal on board the steamship Maraval of the Trinidad line, which arrived here from Spain. No one on board the vessel admitted ownership of the liquor.

## INGROWN TOE NAIL TURNS OUT ITSELF

A few drops of "Outgro" upon the skin surrounding the ingrowing nail reduces inflammation and pain and so toughens the tender, sensitive skin underneath the toe nail, that it can not penetrate the flesh, and the nail turns naturally outward almost over night.

"Outgro" is a harmless, antiseptic manufactured for chiropodists. However, anyone can buy from the drug store a tiny bottle containing directions.—Adv.


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There is now a scientific corn ender. A famous chemist perfected it. This world-famed laboratory supplies it through druggists everywhere.

It is at your call. A touch will apply it. Its use seals the fate of a corn.

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| Comet Rice | 10c |
| Quaker Oats (large) | 25c |
| Mueller's Macaroni | 11c |
| Campbell's Soup (Tomato) | 9c |
| Elastic Starch | 8c |
| Fancy Shrimp | 20c |
| Dry Yeast (large) | 20c |
| Minute Tapioca | 12c |
| Gold Medal Flour, 24½ lbs. | $1.34 |
| Mazola Oil (qts.) | 55c |
| Currants | 18c |
| Sunkist Seeded Raisins, pkg. | 27c |
| Marshmallow Mist | 26c |
| Grape-Nuts | 15c |

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# AID VACATIONISTS

## Ticket Agents' Class Will Help to Solve Travelers' Problems

CLEVELAND, April 12.—"How many persons may sleep—or try to—in a Pullman upper?"

There's a pause.

"Three," says teacher. "One grown-up and two children, or two grown-ups and one child."

Members of the class are ticket clerks for the seven big railroads entering Cleveland. The teachers are F. L. Long, chief agent, and his assistant, R. E. Burt.

Each ticket seller and information clerk every Monday is furnished with a list of questions to be asked the following Friday. The questions are those arising from pupils' experiences.

**Speeds Service**

Less and less is one obliged to wait while the ticket seller "looks up" information.

"Our efficiency in serving the public has been increased 25 per cent. in three months," says Burt.

"A lecture by a railroad representative precedes the Friday night 'skull practice' and the lecturer must be ready to answer any question regarding points of interest on his road, optional routes, stop-overs, etc."

Cleveland railroad men say the school will become a regular established institution in other railroad centers. The New York Central, B. & O., Big Four, Wheeling & Lake Erie, Nickel Plate, Erie and Pennsylvania roads here are doing the pioneering.

**Typical Questions**

Typical questions asked by the instructors and the answers to them are:

"When do reduced summer tourist fares go into effect in eastern territory? Western territory?" May 15. June 1.

"What passengers are entitled to fare of 1 cent per mile?" Disabled soldiers on furlough.

"What is approximate cost of a locomotive? Dining car?" $45,000. $46,000.

"Give shortest time of trains from Chicago to San Francisco." Sixty-eight hours, 20 minutes.

"May a berth be made up for a day ride?" Yes, in case of non-contagious illness.

## LITTLE VISITS WITH FEATHERED FRIENDS

By MARY SEAMAN

One bright Sunday afternoon my attention was attracted to Neighbor Wren, who had "rented" one of my bird houses. What caused me to know that something quite unusual was on hand in the neighborhood was the fact that both Mr. and Mrs. Wren were scolding with all their might, and darting about the grape arbor frantically.

I went at once to investigate and for a little time could see nothing wrong. No cat was in sight, no sparrow hawk and no shrike; but still the unhappy parents kept up their frightened scolding. I stepped to the chicken park and there I saw the cause of all the excitement, and it certainly was enough to cause any father and mother consternation.

Some baby wrens had left the nest and in their efforts to learn to fly had made their way into the yard where some half-grown chickens were. To the chickens these sprightly little creatures were a new kind of bug, sent for their diet, and a chicken had a baby wren in its beak, running about the yard with all the other chickens in hot pursuit. Of course, I rescued the wren, which seemed none the worse for its adventure, and went back to the house, believing that all trouble of that nature was over.

I had not reckoned fully with the wren-chicken combination, however, for no less than three times that afternoon I took some member of the wren family away from a voracious and highly indignant chicken. Once I was in time to see the chicken strike the little fellow against a post, trying to break or kill this huge "bug" before he ate it.

Mr. and Mrs. Wren and I were completely upset before that family had their wings under control and the danger from chickens was over. Nothing daunted, however, the parents reared another family in the same house.


# JUST THE RIGHT REMEDY FOR HER

**Building Up the Blood Relieved This Providence Woman of Nervousness and Indigestion**

If you are out of health look to the condition of your blood. Thin, weak blood is to blame for more ill health and unhappiness than most people imagine.

Mrs. M. A. Shine of No. 61 Providence street, Providence, R. I., says:

"A number of years ago I was in an extremely nervous and run down condition. My work was too much for me and I gave out easily. My appetite was poor and the food I did eat often gave me indigestion. I had severe headaches and it seemed that I needed something to build up my blood. A friend who had been benefited by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills told me about the help that she had received from their use and I decided to try them. I shall always be grateful for that advice as this remedy was just right for my case. By the time I had taken one box I was steadily improving in every way. Encouraged by this I kept on with the tonic. My appetite returned and I had no more indigestion. I was stronger physically, did not tire easily and my nerves were steady. I have great faith in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and am never without them. They are a family remedy in my house and have saved me many a doctor's bill."

Try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for nervousness, neuralgia, sciatica, rheumatism, all anemic conditions, headache, indigestion lack of energy and ambition and depressing after-effects of the grip or influenza. These troubles are often caused by or dependent on thin blood. Building up the blood frequently brings relief without other treatment.

Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 60 cents per box, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. If your are interested write today for the free book, "Building Up the Blood."—Adv.



# THIS YOUNG MOTHER

**Tells Childless Women What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did for Her**

Millston, Wis.—"I want to give you a word of praise for your wonderful medicine. We are very fond of children and for a considerable time after we married I feared I would not have any owing to my weak condition. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now I have a nice strong healthy baby girl. I can honestly say that I did not suffer much more when my baby was born than I used to suffer with my periods before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound years ago. I give all the credit to your medicine and shall always recommend it very highly."—Mrs. H. H. JANSSEN, Millston, Wisconsin.

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## OKLAHOMA WINS SUIT WITH TEXAS

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Oklahoma won in the supreme court yesterday the first big point in her suit with Texas for jurisdiction over valuable Red river oil fields.

In an opinion which was unanimous, excepting that Associate Justice Clarke took no part, the court held that the south bank of the Red river must be taken as the true boundary between Texas and Oklahoma from the southeastern corner of the latter state to the point between Texas and Oklahoma from the southeastern corner of the latter state to the point where the river crosses the 100th meridian of longitude. More than 1000 miles of boundary were permanently fixed by the decision.

The court based its findings specifically on the terms of the treaty signed in 1819, between the United States and Spain, which "consummated the Louisiana purchase." That document, it held, affirming its own decision in the case of the United States versus Texas, set the south band of the river as the true boundary.

Delineation of the exact location of the "south band" was postponed until the entering of the formal decree which will be promulgated, it was announced today, within the next 30 days. Until this decree is made public, those interested will be little better off than before today's decision, according to persons familiar with the territory in dispute, as the river is extremely shallow along practically its entire length.

A new element was injected in the case Saturday when John M. Taylor claiming to represent certain Indians filed a petition for leave to intervene. He presented a patent covering much of the disputed territory said to have been issued by President Van Buren to the Cherokees. Taylor explained today that he did not represent the Cherokee nation, but that branch known as the "eastern emigrant Cherokees," an offshoot of the principal national body, and including some 28,000 members. Yesterday's decision will not affect the suit instituted by his principals, Taylor insisted.

## SOVIETS PROHIBIT ARRIVAL FROM U. S.

NEW YORK, April 12—The soviet government has issued an order prohibiting anyone from the United States from crossing the borders of Russia after April 22, according to a cable message made public yesterday by Charles Recht, attorney here for the Russian soviet government.

The cablegram, received from the soviet consul at Libau, stated that all emigration from this country would be suspended after that date until an official representative of the soviet government, with authority to vise passports of persons who desire to go to Russia, arrives in the United States. No indication as to when such an official would arrive was contained in the message.

## RULING ON DRAFTS FOR SACRAMENTAL WINE

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Drafts secured by warehouse receipts covering sacramental wine in storage are made ineligible for rediscount by Federal Reserve banks under a ruling issued today by the Federal Reserve board. The ruling, however, the board said, does not affect the legal right of a bank to make a loan upon the note of a borrower secured by a warehouse receipt covering wine in bond.

Under its regulations, the board explained, drafts eligible for rediscount, are required to be secured by a readily marketable staple. "The board does not believe," the ruling said, "that wine held in a bonded warehouse, which can be removed only for specific purposes and after complying with the requirements of the Volstead act and the regulations of the bureau of internal revenue issued thereunder, can be said to be an article of commerce subject to constant dealings in ready markets, with such frequent quotations of prices as to make the price easily ascertainable, or to make the staple easy to realize upon at any time by lawful sale."


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## One Killed, Six Injured By Explosion

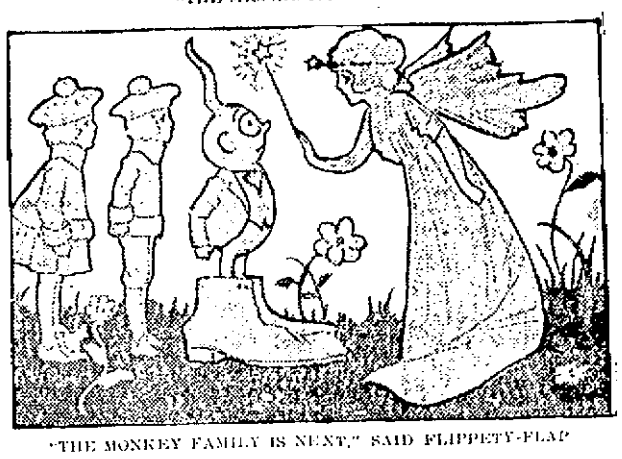
AKRON, Ohio, April 12.—One man was killed and six others were injured today when an explosion wrecked the cement house of the Miller Rubber Co. Officials of the company estimated the damage at $25,000. Large quantities of gasoline and chemicals were used in this department of the factory, it is said.

## Discuss Martial Law in Greece

ATHENS, April 12.—Establishment of martial law in Greece was discussed in the chamber of deputies today. Premier Gounaris proposed consideration of the matter.

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton.

"THE MISSING MONKEYS"



"THE MONKEY FAMILY IS NEXT," SAID FLIPPETY-FLAP

The fairy queen was much pleased because so many of the circus animals had returned to the Place-Where-They-Ought-to-Be.

"It certainly looks," she said to Nancy and Nick and Flippety-Flap, "as though we were going to have a real circus after all, this year. The elephant is very contented and intends to stay. Mrs. Kangaroo and Kicky Kang are more than happy since I gave each of them a new pair of boxing gloves. Gyp the Giraffe will stay forever now, and Mr. Lion and Mr. Seal will stay as long as they have such clever wives to boss them. Who is next?"

Flippety-Flap looked at the sole of his shoe. "The monkey family," said he. "They live in the fifth story of the Cocoanut-Palm-Tree hotel on the Island of Farthest-Ever. Leastways that's the address I have here, but you never can tell about them, the rascals. 'Home is where the grub is,' is their motto, so you're likely to find them wherever a good square meal happens to be growing, or a round one, or an oblong one. They're not particular."

The magical mushroom then put in an appearance. "How are the magic green shoes holding out, kiddies?" said he. "Any holes in 'em yet? That wouldn't do, you know, with so many oceans to cross on your travels."

The twins took them off and handed them over, and the magical mushroom looked at them carefully. "They are good for a spell yet," he assured them. "Perhaps two spells. And how about your language charm"

Nancy produced it, also.

"Very good, my dears. I reckon you have enough magic to coax two scatter-brained monkeys back to the circus. Goodby and good luck."

Away sailed the twins and the fairyman, Flippety-Flap.

(To Be Continued)

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## BRINDELL'S GAY ATTIRE BARRED

OSSINING, N. Y., April 12.—Two trunks filled with silk shirts of bright hue, fancy socks, and other wearing apparel of a sporty nature, which Robert P. Brindell, labor leader, convicted of extortion, brought to Sing Sing prison, yesterday were opened, repacked and shipped back to his home. Prison rules forbid the introduction and wearing of all "imported" clothing, except underwear, gray flannel shirts and socks of "quiet color."

Brindell received a visit from his counsel yesterday but several labor leaders, who have been seeking conferences with their former chief, were notified that they must wait until the expiration of the two week's probationary period.

The Brahmins believe the ruby acts as a charm against fire.

## DUCKS SHOTS AND CAPTURES MAN

BOSTON, April 12.—After watching an armed man rifle his cash register of $59, Max Molin, proprietor of a bakeshop at 675 1-2 Harrison avenue, last night chased the thief through dark alleys and lighted streets, ducked four bullets and finally landed on top of the holdup man and, with the help of a crowd, overpowered him, took his gun away, recovered his $59 and held him for the police.

At the station the captured man gave his name as Joseph Thompson, 40 years old, and said that he lived at 57 Dover street. The police think that he came from Canada. Police say he carried a 38-calibre revolver.

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# Compulsory Dress Reform in Vogue In the Walla Walla High School

MISS TUDIE M'COY, MEMBER OF THE JUDICIAL BOARD OF WALLA WALLA HIGH SCHOOL THAT SUPERVISES PUPILS' DRESS

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 12.—Compulsory dress reform in the student governed Walla Walla high school has been pronounced after a month's trial.

The pupils themselves suggested the reform and adopted it, laying down penalities that were to be imposed for infractions of the regulations. These penalities, concurred in by the faculty, usually deprived pupils of some of their leisure time between classes.

Miss Tudie McCoy, one of the nine pupils who make up the school's judicial board, says that although some of the girls of wealthy parentage revolted at first, all pupils now are carrying on the campaign in harmony.

The ban was placed on short skirts, half-hose, silk stockings and all other modes that are being criticised.

The regulations are enforced by the judicial board, composed of one member of each of the five school sororities and one elected member from each class.

The board meets weekly to consider reported violations and to fix the penalties. After three violations by a girl, the parent or guardian must appear to explain. Should there then be a fourth violation, the girl is suspended from school.

### WHAT SCHOOL GIRLS BAN

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 12.—Placed under the ban by high school girls here are:

Rolled down or half-hose.
Fancy garters worn below the knee.
Silk hose.
French heeled shoes.
Silk, velvet and georgette crepe, except simple silk waists or blouses and velvet jackets.
Thin material with too scant camisoles or underwaists.
Short or tight skirts.
Expensive or extravagant clothing in general.
Extreme styles in hairdress.
Excessive use of cosmetics.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

### B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Elsa Ryan, reminiscent of Laurette Taylor in "Peg o' My Heart," and indeed, a graduate of that popular play herself, is starring in a prettily devised sketch at B. F. Keith's theatre this week called "Peg For Short." Running all through it are traces of its more noted predecessor. Miss Ryan again plays the part of a vivacious young Irish woman who is proud of her nationality and never daunted by anybody's reference to it. She has the sparkling wit of her race and is never lost for an answer.

The story has to do with a noted author who is a woman-hater. Coming home to his bachelor apartments one evening he finds a young woman lying across his doorstep in a faint. He picks her up and brings her to his apartment where gradually she revives. In the meantime the author has received a telephone call supposedly from a young woman reporter of one of the big dailies seeking an interview with him. He refuses but the voice on the wire says she will be in his apartment in 20 minutes and will have received her interview.

As the affair turns out, the young woman whom he has brought to his apartment is the reporter and by cleverly drawing out the author, she obtains the desired interview and a story which will more than please her editor. When the 20 minutes are up she informs the author of her deception and then instead of going into a rage he begins to see something worth while in women after all. There's a pretty and unusual ending to the sketch.

Miss Ryan plays the part of "Peg" to perfection and delighted her audience last evening by her naive characterization of the audacious but lovable young Irish woman. Rodney Ranous as the author brings to his role perfect physical poise, an attractive voice and thorough familiarity with the things of the stage. "Peg For Short" is far above the average vaudeville sketch.

Burt Gordon and Gene Ford are a young man and woman who can draw smiles from the most sober face. The "recital classique" is the grandiose name they give their affair. The recital part of it centres chiefly around the efforts of Miss Ford to teach Gordon the rudiments of voice culture. Gordin, in turn, makes no distinction in notes but gives them all the same colorless treatment. The result is obvious—howls of laughter from the audience.

Gordon makes it unmistakably evident that he is characterizing a Hebrew youth and his good-natured way of taking rebuffs for his vocal deficiencies won him immediate friendship last evening. Miss Ford herself has an excellently developed voice and displays a personality most attractive.

Joe Rome and Lou Gaut are the extremes of physical development. One is short and the other very, very tall. They sing and dance and fumble around in most unsainly manner. Their grotesque dancing is one of the funniest things Keith's has produced in many months.

William Ebe offers a surprising novelty in the line of ventriloquism. He first starts off in the stereotyped manner of his kind, but before the act is over it is discovered that his "dummy" is a real live youngster with plenty of life and pep.

The Thornton sisters in "Bits of Harmony" are "there" not only with the harmony but with beauty and ingratiating personality. They sing out of the ordinary songs and do it in an out of the ordinary way.

Peak's Educated Blockheads opened the bill in a Punch and Judy offering and the Sterlings close it with an exceptionally pretty roller skating act with electrical effects.

The Kinogram News Weekly has its usual quota of up-to-the-minute news pictures while Topics of the Day and the comedy are most entertaining.

### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"Arrah-Na-Pogue," meaning when translated from the Celtic "Arrah-of-the-Kiss," was presented by the Lowell Players in the Opera House yesterday. If the shades of Dion Boucicault, the author, had been lingering near they must have been pleased at the way in which the play was given and the hearty enthusiasm with which it was received by the audiences.

Although the author wrote many plays it is doubtful if in the whole category is a single drama that exceeds "Arrah-Na-Pogue" in its appeal to lovers of the stage. It deals with the people of the land of the shamrock. It is filled to the brim with the romance, the poetry, the love-making, the joy-making and the sorrowing that goes on with an ever present background of tragedy. Pretty colleens move back and forth with their sweethearts with the dreaded British red coats very near.

The play deals with Beamish McCoul, played by Charles L. Barton, arch rebel, who, exiled to France, has returned to his native soil to claim his bride, Fanny Power, represented by Dorothy Pembroke. A daredevil piece of robbery at night, carried out as a means of revenge upon Michael Feeny, process server and informer, played by Maxwell Driscoll, leads to many complications.

The presence of the rebel, hidden in the cabin home of Arrah Meelish—Arrah-Na-Pogue—and his gift to her of a portion of the spoils of the robbery as a wedding gift, brings the British soldiers on the scene, and to save his sweetheart, Arrah, from disaster, Shaun, the Post, takes upon himself the blame for the deed which leads to his arrest and sentence to death.

With the gallows but a few hours ahead on his path, Shaun hears the voice of his sweetheart singing in the distance. He wrenches the bars of his prison aside, makes a mighty leap that means either escape or death. In the end the tangle is straightened out. A pardon arrives for Shaun and he becomes a "prisoner for life" of Arrah-Na-Pogue.

Miss Marguerite Fields makes a picturesque and altogether pleasing Arrah. She is at her best in both the lighter scenes and in those that depict the deeper emotions. Milton Byron, as Shaun, pictures a lover of the true Irish type, brave, loyal and true, meeting the sunshine and the shadow of life with a smile and merry quip.

Dorothy Pembroke, as Fanny Power, has not been seen here to better advantage than in the part that she played yesterday. Maxwell Driscoll, as Michael Feeny, the process server, is in make-up and acting, the deeply dyed villainous rogue that the author has pictured.

Every part in the play is presented with exceptional ability. The members of the cast in addition to those already mentioned are:

Olney Farrel .....Frank Ferrara
Patsey Doyle .....William Fleming
Andy Regan ..... Martin Miskell
Sergeant Atkins .....Jack Bennett
Col. Bagenal O'Grady, in love with Fanny .....Kenneth Fleming
Major Coffin, an English officer, Fred Woodbury
Katty Welsh .....Priscilla Knowles
Molly Welsh .....Jennie Conway
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### THE STRAND THEATRE

"Polly With a Past" and "Extravagance" are the two headliners at the Strand theatre for the first three days of the week. The first features Ina Claire in the title role, while in the second the principal part is being sustained by the fascinating May Allison. There is also a very pleasing comedy as well as an instructive series of current events. The musical numbers by Miss Elsie Robbins, the theatre organist, are very enjoyable.

In "Polly With a Past" Ina Claire impersonates Polly Sharon, a minister's daughter from the country, who goes to a big city to study voice culture, and suddenly finds herself forced to become a housemaid. While attending to her regular duties she becomes interested in a young man, who is in love with a reformer, and in order to help him along in his love affairs, she assumes the role of a vampire. The complications that follow are most interesting inasmuch as Polly herself falls in love with the young man she is helping out and what follows can be better appreciated on the screen.

In "Extravagance" May Allison is at her best. The play unfurls the story of a young wife, who in her endeavors to climb up the social ladder, leads her husband to the brink of ruin. The story deals with Nancy Brown, daughter of a wealthy man, who marries a young lawyer not overburdened with wealth. He loves his wife and endeavors to please her at all times with the result that he is plunged into difficulties in trying to meet the expenses that she piles up. The catastrophe occurs when the young man in order to purchase an expensive home for his bride, forges a cheque, using his father's name, and faces a jail sentence. The father threatens to send his son to prison, but at the last minute gives him the alternative of allowing his wife to desert him forever or accepting what seems to be the inevitable. What follows must be seen on the screen to be appreciated.

### MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

To see William S. Hart in a western portrayal is like viewing some historic figure of a past age which has actually come to life again, so vividly real and artistic are Hart's characterizations of men of the old west. So it is with his latest production, "O'Malley of the Mounted," which was presented to an appreciative attendance at the Merrimack Square theatre yesterday.

In this thrilling photoplay Mr. Hart is seen as a member of the Royal Northwestern Mounted Police—that famous organization which long has been a source of terror to the lawless characters of the Canadian frontier because of the unfailing rule of its members—never to quit until they have captured the man or men they are sent after.

Sent forth to capture a murderer, Hart begins his quest only to find that the man whom he seeks is the brother of a woman he loves. He resigns rather than arrest the young man who, he learns, has justifiably killed a scoundrel.

In this production Hart adds another splendid characterization to his gallery of western screen portraits. The story was written by Mr. Hart and throughout its action there are thrills in abundance. Eva Novak heads a capable supporting company. The picture is well worth seeing.

Mae Murray, famous photoplay star and dancer, has been provided with a story of great dramatic power in "The Gilded Lily," the other feature of the current program at the Merrimack Square. The story fits Miss Murray like a glove and presents her in the role in which she first became famous—a dancer. All of the scenes are laid in New York.

Lily Drake, dancer at the Club Royale, is the type of girl that is all sham and rouge on the exterior, but real and true when the tarnish and tinsel are off. She is sought by many men, including a typical man about town and a youth from the country. In the contest between them to win her hand and in the final decision, the story has many an unusual twist. It is entirely original and places the photoplay in the front rank for its story value. An able cast supports Miss Murray.

A comedy, "A Wild Night," and the International News, brimming with up-to-the-minute news portrayals, are other features of the current bill.

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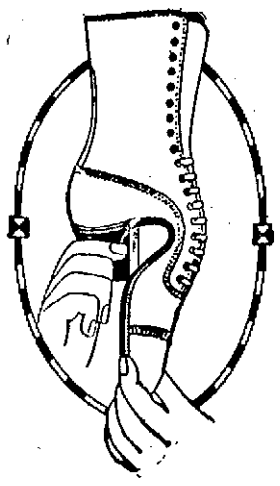

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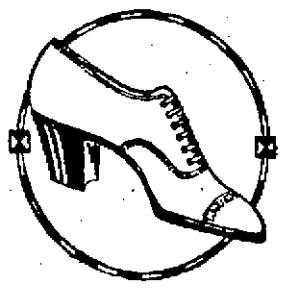

COME IN AND INSPECT THEM


## CHICAGO POLICE TO USE WIRELESS TELEPHONES

CHICAGO, April 12.—Wireless telephones are to be used by the Chicago police in their war on crime, it was announced today.

A $12,000 plant is being installed on the roof of the city hall for constant communication with rifle squads, fire boats, fire engine houses, police stations and patrol wagons. At first the terminals will have only receiving apparatus.

William G. Keith, commissioner of gas and electricity, who proposed the experiment, said today that he hoped ultimately to have every policeman equipped with receiving apparatus which weighs only a few ounces and can be concealed under his clothing

### Y.M.C.A. CAMPAIGN FUND

At a meeting of the workers in the Y.M.C.A. campaign fund, which was held last evening in the assembly hall of the association, contributions amounting to $895 were reported, leaving but $1900 to be raised through public subscriptions. Team 21, D. M. Cameron, captain, led in the reports, the amount collected being $370, while Team 6, Capt. Otis W. Butler, came next with subscriptions amounting to $168. After all reports had been submitted a brief meeting of the directors was held with Pres. Olney in the chair and the date for the annual meeting was set as April 18, and the following nominating committee was appointed to bring in names for directors: D. M. Cameron, Robert Friend and Otis W. Butler. Interesting remarks were made by General Secretary H. F. Howe, who assured his listeners that next year will be bigger and better in association work than any other previous year.

### MAINE M. E. CONFERENCE

BIDDEFORD, Me., April 12.—Delegates to the 97th session of the Maine conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, began arriving in the city today. It is expected that some 400 will attend. The conference which will run from the 12th to the 18th inclusive, will be presided over by Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes. The program for today included examinations, with a meeting of the Sunday school workers of Biddeford and Saco, this evening.

An address by Rev. E. H. Brewster, educational secretary of the Maine State Sunday School association, dealing with Sunday school work, will be delivered at 8 o'clock.

## TO SEIZE AUTOS WITH LIQUOR IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, April 12.—New York police last night were ordered to seize all automobiles which contain liquor with or without the owner's knowledge.

Warning that the restriction would extend so far as to include "confiscation" of an auto, even though the liquor was on the person of a "guest," was issued by Deputy Police Commissioner John A. Leach, who is directing the work of the city's 1,000 policemen in enforcing the new state law putting prohibition enforcement up to the local authorities.

Sixteen persons, the first to be indicted charged with illegal liquor transactions under the new state law, were named in true bills returned yesterday by the grand jury.

The first big seizure of wines and whiskey was made by Brooklyn police, who raided a saloon, arrested the proprietor and confiscated liquor valued at from $60,000 to $100,000.

### SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

A special town meeting of the voters of Dracut will be held this evening in Grange hall, Centre village, for the purpose of taking action on the report of the board of selectmen on the proposition of dividing the town into voting precincts and other matters contained in the warrant.


## DOCTORS SAY CONSTIPATION POISONS SYSTEM

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3. Recipes must give exact proportions.
4. Recipes must be written on plain paper and enclosed in envelope bearing name and address of sender plainly written.
5. On each recipe must be written the name and address of dealer from whom Chelmsford Beverages were purchased.
6. Winners will be decided by a committee of three competent judges not connected in any way with the Chelmsford Spring Co. and contestants must accept their decisions as final.
7. All recipes entered are to become the property of the Chelmsford Spring Co.
8. Contest closes at midnight, April 30th, 1921.

CASH REWARDS

Best Recipe ..... $35.00
Second ..... $25.00
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Send Your Recipes to Contest Manager
The Ginger Ale People Chelmsford, Mass.

# GROUP LIFE INSURANCE

## Eastern Mass. Trustees Submit New Terms of Agreement to Carmen

### Would Cut Wages and Make Many Other Changes —Unions to Act

BOSTON, April 12.—The trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company last night issued a statement announcing a new working agreement with the employes of the street railway system, which they offer for adoption by the several labor unions.

The new agreement makes several changes from the agreements of the past. No longer will employes be dismissed solely for violations of union rules. The Saturday half holiday is abolished as is also time and a half for Sunday and holiday work.

The summary of the agreement, as issued by the public trustees last night, is as follows:

"The joint conference board of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Car Men's union was yesterday given a draft of an agreement prepared by the public trustees and asked to submit the agreement to the local unions throughout the Bay State system for approval as soon as possible.

"In the new agreement which is to be made for one year, beginning May 2, 1921, the trustees state that the company will do nothing to prevent any employe from becoming or continuing to be a member of the union, and will not in any way discriminate against a member thereof because of such membership.

"A new provision of the proposed agreement submitted by the trustees is that all regular employes shall be provided without expense a medical examination, with group life insurance similar to that now enjoyed by the supervisory force. The amounts of this group insurance range from $500, for employes in the service one year, to $2000 for employes in the service for 10 years or more. These policies are to be given to the employes free of all conditions and restrictions.

"Wages will be restored to the scale in effect prior to May 1, 1920. Operators of one-man cars will receive 66 cents an hour.

"Instructors of operators of cars will continue to receive four cents an hour in addition to their regular pay.

"The working day of conductors and motormen and miscellaneous employes will be nine hours.

"The company will no longer dismiss an employe solely upon complaint of the union that he has violated union rules.

"Extra men called for work will continue to receive a guarantee of six hours' wages.

"The Saturday half-holiday with pay for shop employes is abolished. This company cannot afford to give half-holidays with pay. Time and a half for Sunday and holiday work and overtime to mechanical and miscellaneous employes will be discontinued for the same reason.

"Free transportation to employes, whether in uniform or not, will be continued.

"Seniority rating of regular conductors and motormen will remain unchanged, but work for men on the spare list will be assigned instead of being selected by seniority.

"Seniority rating of mechanical and miscellaneous employes will be eliminated.

"Local discipline cases will be taken up by the manager and labor representatives as in the past and appeal can be made to the public trustees, who will meet one day each month for the purpose of hearing such cases as will be referred to them.

"Changes in working conditions and wages provided for in the new agreement are made by the public trustees solely to increase efficiency and to help reduce car fares."

# MISS FLETCHER WAS ALMOST IN DESPAIR

## Palmer Girl Had Been Under Treatment Two Years But Got No Better—Gains 20 Pounds Taking Tanlac, and Health Now Perfect, She States.

Miss Edith Fletcher, daughter of a well known farmer, living at R. F. D., Palmer, Mass., made the following remarkable statement recently regarding Tanlac, the medicine that is being so widely discussed and distributed:

"I had been taking special treatments for my stomach trouble for two years, but instead of getting better I was steadily growing worse. My appetite was very poor and the little I did eat seemed to do me more harm than good. For days at a time I would have a constant pain in my side and my misery was increased by awful headaches. My back hurt me so it would nearly kill me to stoop over to pick up anything from the floor and straighten up again. I had tried so many medicines without getting help that I was almost in the depths of despair when I started taking Tanlac.

"I never saw anything to equal the change this medicine made in me in a short time. Just in a few weeks I gained 20 pounds in weight and I haven't had a pain in my side or a headache for two months. Instead of dragging myself around the house as I used to I enjoy getting out and walking for miles. I am like a different person altogether and this grand medicine is responsible for it."

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DRY GOODS SECTION


## FRATERNAL NEWS

Members of Gen Adelbert Ames camp, 79, U.S.W.V., held their regular meeting in Memorial hall last evening with Commander Burns in the chair. Routine business was transacted and the following delegates were chosen to attend the state encampment to be held at Gloucester, April 17 to 19: F. R. Cheney, J. F. Murphy, P. J. Burns, S. V. Commander T. F. Conniff and J. V. Commander J. F. Murphy; alternates, R. W. Eastman, C. H. Lambert, C. W. Thompson and T. Ashworth. Past Department Commanders R. J. Crowley and E. G. Clark and Past Commanders F. Dodge, M. H. Harrington, M. C. Bentley, J. N. Craig, F. Hotchkiss, G. W. Hunt, A. D. Mitchell, B. W. Chandler, W. M. Prescott, R. Gibbons, A. B. Sanford and J. F. Crowley will also attend the state encampment as delegates.

**Loyal Integrity Lodge**

N. G. Robson J. Stone occupied the chair at the regular meeting of Loyal Integrity lodge, 6630, I.O.O.F., M.U., which was held last evening in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street. Committee reports were given and routine business was transacted. It was voted to send a challenge to Merrimack valley lodge to play a game of whist at the meeting of May 20. William Pusheo was appointed master to make arrangements for degree work. At the close of the business session a social hour was enjoyed during which entertainment numbers were given by A. W. Henderson, P. G. Willis Bowles, Earle Frucan, Robert Stead and Thos. Paul.

**Div 8, A.O.H.**

At the regular meeting of Div. 2, A.O.H. held last evening in A.O.H. hall, Middle street, the sum of $200 was voted for the Irish Relief fund. The meeting was presided over by President Michael J. Monahan and routine business was transacted. President Monahan and John Sullivan were appointed to attend the meetings of the Irish Relief fund committee and to assist them in raising Lowell's quota, $15,000.

**Central Council, A.O.H**

At the last meeting of Central council, A.O.H. the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: M. J. Monahan, president; Joseph McOsker, vice president; Thomas Dorsey, treasurer; John Barrett, secretary; Joseph F. Garrity, custodian of property and janitor. Other business was transacted and then there were remarks by John J. Murphy, John Sullivan and President Monahan.

## ADMIRAL DECKER TO WED MRS. CROSSMAN

NEWTON, April 12.—Marriage intentions by Rear Admiral Benton C. Decker of Newport, R. I., and Mrs. Alice K. Crossman of this city, filed in this city, became known today. Admiral Decker gave his age as 53 and Mrs. Crossman as 51. Each has been married and divorced. No date has been set for the marriage. Mrs. Crossman is a daughter of former Mayor James W. M. Hall of Cambridge.


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PALMER STREET—SILK SECTION


## VISITED SOLDIERS AT GROTON HOSPITAL

The welfare committee of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion, together with a number of popular Lowell entertainers visited the ex-soldiers' hospital at Groton Sunday afternoon. A very pleasing program was carried out by the following: Solos, Mr. Edward Donohoe; recitation, Mr. James Coughlin; solos and folk dances, Miss Peggy O'Reilly; solos, Mrs. Chas. Young, Miss Vera Curran accompanied on the piano. Fruit and smokes furnished by the auxiliary were taken to the boys. Mrs. Chas. Young, Mrs. C. Hewitt, Mrs. Wm. Merritt and Miss Helen Haggerty had charge of arrangements. The auxiliary wishes to thank those who so generously provided automobiles for the trip.

**THE LOWELL GUILD**

The report of the Lowell guild for the past month as submitted by the superintendent is as follows:

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| Total Metropolitan policy-holder patients cared for during month | 113 |
| Total paying and free patients | 88 |
| Total patients cared for | 201 |
| Total Metropolitan policy-holder visits | 502 |
| Total free and paying visits | 356 |
| Total visits in March | 858 |

Baby hygiene report:

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| Total babies under care during March, 1921 | 684 |
| Number of home visits | 809 |
| Number of clinics | 13 |
| Total attendance at clinics | 466 |

**FOUND OLD DOCUMENTS**

While giving the town hall its annual spring cleaning a few days ago, Benjamin Hutchins, custodian of the hall in Billerica Centre, found a number of old unlisted documents, such as letters and statements rendered to officers of the town and dating back to 1805. The papers were turned over to the board of selectmen, who in turn will present them to the Billerica Historical society.

## Humor and Common Sense

Continued

himself unable to agree with this conception of the word. "War, murder, ingratitude,—these are not for the best," he said, but added that he was not surprised at the failure of the dictionary to satisfy him, "because it was compiled by intellectual people. And people who are purely intellectual are never intelligent. So I decided that I would go to the people. You know, today everything the people thinks is right, whether it is wrong or not." Mr. Bangs went to Nathan Haskell Dole, and besought him for a definition of optimist. The reply he received was, "The optimist sees the doughnut, the pessimist sees the hole." This notion didn't prove adequate, for the speaker gave it as his opinion that the only optimistic part of a doughnut is the hole. He then repaired to his club, "composed of a rollicking bunch of octogenarians," and there he found that an optimist was looked upon much as an imbecile would be regarded. "They seemed to feel," he said, "that since America has ceased to be fluid, it has ceased to be solid. Their idea seemed to be that since the passage of a certain constitutional amendment, all that the fathers of the country gave us has been lost.

**Buying Corkscrews**

These fellows told me that an optimist is a chap who is still buying corkscrews. An Irishmen whom I interviewed offered me his idea in the form of a story. He told me about a man who fell from a high building and who called out to a stenographer on the thirteenth floor, as he passed, 'Well, I'm all right so far.' But that kind of optimism, I thought, was a foolish sort. Finally, as I was travelling on a train, it occurred to me to ask the Pullman porter. In all my years of experience as a tourist, I never had asked a question of one of these gentlemen, without getting an answer. So I asked the porter if he knew what an optimist is. He replied that he should say he did, that he had to go to one three times a month. Then he explained that he thought an optimist was a man who fixed your eyes,—who made you see things a little better. After I had meditated upon this reply for a time, it appeared to me that here was a better definition of an optimist than anyone else had been able to offer me. An optimist is a man who helps you to see things a little better. I began to experiment, to play with words, as has been my profession for years; and finally I evolved the definition of an optimist as a man who sees best because he sees hopefully. I spring this on my club, and they wanted to know how I could be optimistic with 15,000 American boys dead on the fields of France. They asked how I could be optimistic when the pulpit confines itself to sophomoric essays on points of doctrine, and when the poets, confronted with epic times, are unable to rise to the occasion, and write only free verse because they are too lazy to study rules of their profession. They dared me to deny that there are plenty of intelligent pessimists, and demanded an explanation of that fact."

**Front Page Stories**

Mr. Bangs said he told his companions that "that is easy." He picked up a newspaper and told them he was going to conduct a little test. On the front page of the paper he picked up, he told his hearers, there were sixteen items, and of this number, fourteen were sufficient to cause pessimism in any heart. One was optimistic, and the other was fifty-fifty, depending on how you looked at it. Murder, arson, loot, treason, and scandal, together with betrayals of trust, filled the columns. "The average human being, reading such things at breakfast," said the speaker," reacts to them. They are his immediate environment, and they color his thinking during the day. From these items he sees the world as wholly abandoned. The only optimistic article on that page was one which told of mill hands kicking out their vicious leader, and voluntarily asking for a 20 per cent. reduction in their wages, that the mill might not close down. If labor could get rid of its vicious leaders by dropping them into the sea, and capitalists could put the bad ten per cent. of their personnel out of the way, the capital-labor controversy would be solved."

Returning to his theme of the part played by the newspapers in producing gloom, he again called attention to the great preponderance of unpleasant news stories on the front page of a newspaper picked up at random. "But we can't blame the newspapers," he went on, "they print such things on their front pages, because they have the news value of the unusual. The crime of a prominent man is of more news value than his good deeds, because it is unexpected. It is the last thing anyone would expect him to do. While we read the papers, with their rehearsal of crime, we do not pause to think that these are the unusual things, the extraordinary things."

**Judge Too Hastily**

The speaker then continued by adding another reason for general pessimism. "We make up our minds too hurriedly," he declared, "and we judge our fellow men too hastily." He then related to his audience an encounter which he had years ago with a disreputable-looking tramp, and he said that this meeting had cured him of snap judgments. The tramp, at first seemingly a loathsome specimen of humanity, revealed to his amazement a startling knowledge of literature and the other arts. He was an admirer of the pre-Raphaelite movement. It appeared,—a disciple of Dante, Gabriel Rossetti, of his sister, Christina Rossetti, and of Sir Philip Burne-Jones. He could criticize understandingly the work of James MacNeil Whistler. In brief, he was a charming fellow. "Since then," feelingly declared the speaker, "I have never judged a man without looking below the surface. Through my interest in the work of Thomas Mott Osborne, I have delivered lectures to audiences of convicts, and I have found that there never were even bankers or burglars in which one could not find the seeds of character. But, after all is said, the optimism of America depends on religion. My optimism is based on my religion. Now I am not a bigot. But I have no use for any man's religion that doesn't comprise three tenets, namely, faith in God, faith in his country and faith in his fellow man. My faith in man is based on personal contact with them. I have met the boys who fought for civilization, and as for the women, there are the eight millions of American women who worked for the Red Cross during the war. I do not base my idea of women from the gum-chewing flapper, but upon such devoted girls as now are in devastated France carrying the heart of America as surely as General Pershing carried its might."


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## PRES. HARDING'S PROBLEMS

Again the republican party is placed at the helm of the ship of state after an interregnum of eight years. The party returns to power with the largest majority on record in both houses and with an array of questions to be settled that will test the capacity of all the ablest men not only in congress but in the party and in the country regardless of party.

The Wilson administration had the patriotism of the nation behind it for the greater part of the time during the past four years, so that even the prosecution of the war was a comparatively easy matter Now that the war is over, that the war measures have been repealed, the Harding regime is face to face with problems of reconstruction on which there is the greatest difference of opinion even among republicans.

Among the more pressing problems is the railroad labor problem now threatening bankruptcy of the roads unless the wages of employes be cut to an extent which the employes will not tolerate without a strike. It is true that the war is over; but the war administration had comparatively smooth sailing compared to the reefs and shoals ahead of the Harding regime. The last congress had to deal with problems on which the people were very largely united and it had autocratic laws to enforce its will.

Then there is widespread unemployment throughout the country and the administration is expected to do something to start up business. It will have to deal with the tariff in an emergency measure for the benefit of the farmers while the manufacturers of the country are much in conflict as to w' t they should have in the line of p tection. It appears that the tarif at would satisfy them would kill foreign trade and leave our mc : marino idle. There is also lou plaint from the industries ar the taxation system that will have be revised before we can hope for a healthy recovery of business.

Another problem is to decide what is best to do for the soldiers. So many promises have been made by the republicans that something must be e and that soon if the party is n to go back on its pledges.

All these are domestic questions but still more momentous is that of concluding peace with Germany and taking some definite attitude toward international peace or the League of Nations projected for that purpose but falling utterly to fulfill its original purpose.

The question whether we shall have an international association to promote peace or whether we shall pursue our course and look out for ourselves is one of the great problems which President Harding and his cabinet will have to decide in the near future.

Peace by resolution appears to be the course favored; but what will follow that has not been even definitely suggested. The one thing that offers hope of effective work is the overwhelming republican majority in either branch of congress so that both can sweep aside any partisan or ill-timed opposition to any measure in congress or any policy advanced by President Harding. Therefore, quick work may be expected at least on domestic questions. It remains to be determined whether President Harding is a man who will follow his own views on these important issues or subordinate his judgment to that of the "best minds." Secretary Hughes and Secretary Hoover are the strong men of the cabinet and although Mr. Root is outside, it is likely that he will have a hand in the international settlement. He may be the Mr. House of the present administration, so far as the formation of some definite international peace association is concerned.

The country is with Harding in his efforts to solve all these problems and it is hoped that wise decisions will be reached in each and every case without undue delay.

## OUR COAL EXPORTS

This nation cannot be indifferent to the great upheaval now threatened in England as the strike would soon increase the price of coal in this country. Last year ten million tons of American coal went to Europe and should a coal strike occur now, it would cause a demand for coal from our mines comparable to that of war days.

When the prices of coal soared last year, the profiteers were blamed and correctly so; but part of the reason for the high prices was, that we had to compete with foreigners for our coal supply and the speculators and operators sold to the parties that paid the highest price.

Coal is the mainstay of England's industrial life. Her output last year was 228,000,000 tons. This enabled her to export 2,000,000 tons a month and to control much of the world's ocean bunkerage in distant ports. If the British mines shut down for any prolonged period, it would give a great impetus to the American coal business and would start up many mines now idle. In such an eventuality it would be the duty of the government to see that the American consumer should be protected against another period of profiteering and skyhigh prices.

## LABOR AND EDUCATION

Laboring men have for a number of years been waking up to the fact that one of the mightiest levers that moves the world is education. They have often found that they were at a disadvantage in struggling to better their condition by lack of the training that was in the hands of those who opposed them.

Recently plans have been perfected for the opening in New York state of what is called the "first resident workers' college in America." It is designed to serve the educational needs of the toilers. It is announced that propaganda is not to have any part in its curriculum, and that its sole purpose is to furnish trained leaders for those who toil with their hands for a living.

Those behind the movement for starting the new institution claim that in the colleges now in existence the teaching is biased, and that the workers' side of economic problems does not get a fair presentation. It may be questioned how much of truth there is in this assertion. It is a fact, of course, that the instructors in the older institutions, as a rule, are not men who have come into intimate contact with the workers or had an opportunity to learn from experience of the problems that confront them. In the older colleges, too, environment of the teaching forces is generally such as to incline the instructors to take the more conservative view of economic questions.

There is, of course, no basis for a charge that the older colleges distort their teachings to bolster up any particular class. There are abundant evidences that in our leading institutions of learning a wide latitude is given to the expression of personal views of those holding teaching positions. Some of the most radical social reformers have held college diplomas.

## TEXTILE OUTLOOK BETTER

From interviews obtained from local mill men last week, it appears that a majority of them expect an early improvement in the textile industry. The prospect of greater activity in some factories within the next week or two is very encouraging. The mills are doing their utmost to get business started up; but when orders are not received from the wholesalers, they cannot afford to fill their storehouses with finished products at a time when prices are tumbling. It seems that the prices must very soon reach the lowest limit, after which there is likely to be a rebound upward in some commodities.

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Police Commissioner Curtis of Boston is having trouble with his new police force. Within a week one was arrested for breaking and entering and burglary and another taken from his beat in an advanced state of intoxication. After all, it is discovered that to advertise for police recruits throughout the state is not an ideal method of building up a reliable metropolitan force.

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How unfortunate that Safe Roads week should wind up with two serious auto accidents, in one of which a man was killed and in the other a boy suffered a fracture of the skull. Strange, surely, that despite the appeals in the press and the speeches at the theatres, there should be two such serious accidents. Nevertheless, the good work must go on until reckless drivers and careless pedestrians are driven from the highways.

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Ex-Senator Gore is a polished orator whose command of language and expressive delivery make him a very impressive and effective public speaker. His address at the Opera House Sunday afternoon was a forceful and sympathetic appeal in behalf of the movement to help relieve the distress in Ireland.

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It is claimed that carbon monoxide, discharged by autos, may in time accumulate in the air in sufficient quantities to endanger health. We shall, continue a while longer, though, to fear the man whose machine just grazes us as we cross the street as a greater menace to our physical well-being.

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We are to have a zoo at Fort Hill park where a real live bear is hereafter to share the honors with the deer family in forming a popular attraction. The monotony had become unbearable.

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It may or may not have any bearing on conditions in Lowell and Boston, but it is interesting to note that New York city's transit lines carried nearly 300,000,000 more passengers last year than the year before and for a five-cent fare.

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We used to pity poor tax-ridden Europe, but, after the republican congress gets through with its income-raising schemes, we are likely, if we have any tears to shed, to save them for ourselves.

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Smile sweetly at the man with the note book and pencil, madame; drop off ten or fifteen years from your age if you wish; we do not believe there is an assistant assessor in town ungallant enough to dispute you.

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It may almost be taken for granted that a man, arrested for a comparatively unimportant crime, who confesses to being an accessory to murder, is practicing a familiar trick of "throwing dust" in people's eyes.

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The fact that "Macbeth" is to be produced in Paris shows that the French have an appreciation for something better than the bathroom drama even if some Americans have not.

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It may occur to some Englishmen just now, having in mind past happenings in Ireland, India, Egypt and other parts of the world, that "whatsoever a nation soweth that shall it also reap."

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A Boston speaker says that our world war soldiers "lacked moral sentiment." They had their moral, and several other kinds of courage with them though.

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Senator Cummins wants the railroad situation investigated. Why not make such investigations a continuous performance?

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Some people were born to make trouble, and one of the ways in which they fulfill their destiny is by making unwise speeches.

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Now it is Lawrence that is asking for a five-cent fare and it is likely to get it, as Lowell did—just where the chicken and the axe connected.

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One interpretation of Professor Einstein's theory is that if we smashed all of our clocks and watches, time would cease to be.

## SEEN AND HEARD

The world's greatest philanthropists are those who give out of their poverty.

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Standard oil of Nebraska declares 200 per cent stock dividend. Times are hard.

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Tobacco man says Julius Caesar smoked weeds. This proves that the world never changes.

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Hat checker says he wouldn't mind prohibition if it hadn't taken all the quarters out of circulation.

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Many city men are sure they can do better farming 40 acres than gardening a 40-foot backyard.

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You never know how beautiful this country is until you look at pictures in a railway time-table.

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The ideal smoking costume for women, observes the Philadelphia Public Ledger would be a Havana wrapper with panatellas.

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Bill Woods says the best way to revive a drowning person is to give him a sip of brandy and then call out the militia to keep the crowd back.

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"The obnoxious effort of girls to attract attention by the short dress craze," says Pauline Lord, famous actress, "is upsetting to thoughtful people."

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Burlesque actors say they are playing to small audiences. There's a barometer of business conditions that beats financial experts.

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Three hundred breweries, quoth Sandy Dunn, are clamoring for the privilege of making beer for medicinal purposes, but millions are clamoring for the privilege of drinking it.

**Profiteer's Dilemma**

A profiteer bought a wonderful country home and set about making it even more wonderful, according to his own ideas. One of his suggestions was a fish pond which should contain eels.

"But you can't keep eels in a pond," objected his neighbor, to whom he had confided his idea. "They have to go down to the sea every year, you know."

"Well, I won't have 'em," gasped the profiteer; "I always takes the missus and kids every year, but I ain't going to take no eels."

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**Regular "Blind Pigs"**

Out in Sacramento, Cal., prohibition officers swooped down on a ranch and located several dozen sure 'nough blind pigs in close connection with a 1000-gallon cache of wine in the barn. The pigs were blind drunk. The P. O.s had smashed in the barrels with their trusty axes and allowed the high voltage fluid to drain into the barnyard where the porkers began sipping and wallowing in it with grunts of bacchanalian delight. One of the pickled porkers tried to climb a crab-apple tree. A little razor-back runt challenged a big tusker to mortal combat. And the sport reached high pitch when two of the hitherto best behaved ham providers calmly began chewing the ears off fellow revelers who lay stupefied in the primevil ooze. Then the P. O.s rushed in and routed the whole lot and passed into an adjoining dry pen where they regarded the officers with mean and reproving eye. "S-s-swine!" stuttered one of the cask wreckers. "Sure it's wine," snorted his fellow wrecker. "What did you think it was!"

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**Philosophy**

I don't like Bill Bartholomew.
He's pleasant-like and friendly, too,
But something seems to say to me
He ain't the man he seems to be.
I know he teaches Sunday school,
And advocates the Golden Rule
And speaks of Brother this and that,
But here's the p'int I'm gettin' at—
I've noticed every dog he meets
On country roads or in the streets,
Gives Bill one look and slinks away—
That don't look good for Bill, I say.

Then there's the preacher, Ogden Stokes,
Who's made a hit with lots of folks.
He's educated, you can see,
And polished to a high degree.
And I must say, he's got a plan
To help the Brotherhood of Man,
That seems all right, no doubt it be,
But here's the thing that puzzles me—
The children quit their play in fear
And seem to dread him comin' near—
He may be right with lots of folks,
But I'm not trustin' Ogden Stokes.

There's Emmett Drew—a failure, yes—
If earthly goods are meant, I guess;
But every dog in Emmett's sight
Nigh wags his tail off in delight.
And children greet him as a friend,
And tag about him without end.
His own—some eight or ten, or more—
Watch every evening at the door—
And when he comes in sight, they race
To plant the first kiss on his face.
On Judgment day, I'm bettin', folks,
He outranks Bill and Ogden Stokes.
—Griff Crawford in Kansas City Star.

## MAN ABOUT TOWN

Lowell people who are interested in astronomical subjects will undoubtedly look forward with anticipation to the eclipse of the moon, which is scheduled to take place at midnight, Thursday, April 21. The eclipse will be visible not only in Lowell, but throughout the United States. It will begin a few minutes before midnight and will continue to grow greater until 2.23 a. m., when the eclipse will be complete. The total eclipse will continue for 42 minutes. Near the moon at this time will be the brilliant star, Spica, and astronomers tell me that the combination of the eclipse and the proximity of the star will result in a heavenly spectacle of an unusually beautiful nature and one well worth giving up a few minutes' sleep to witness.

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A neat cardboard folder was placed in my hands the other day bearing upon its cover the inscription, "With the Compliments of the Sheriff of Middlesex County." It carries a list of the officials of the county. Included are the names of jurors now serving in the superior court. Opposite the name of one of them the occupation is given as "bartender." It has puzzled a number of other people besides myself to know exactly what the work of a bartender is in these days of supposedly bone dryness. Another member of the jury has his occupation given as "selectman." Does that mean that the man in question has deliberately picked out the job of being selectman as his life vocation? But there are many curious occupations in the world. I remember walking along the streets of Boston some time ago when I saw a sign "Chimney Sweep" on a basement place of business. With visions of the unfortunate, half-starved little lads that I had come to picture as chimney sweeps from the books that I had read I entered the place and found an aged man with hair and beard as white as snow. He was the chimney sweep, and he told me that for many years he had cared for the chimneys in the homes of some of Boston's leading citizens in which wood or cannel coal was commonly burned in the fireplaces. Here in Lowell is a concern that carries on a business that I think is not common. It makes a specialty of mending fabrics by taking threads from it and weaving them into holes in such a way that the patching is invisible. Perhaps it is not such a very remarkable occupation, but here in Middlesex county is a concern of considerable size that makes a specialty of turning out antique furniture wholesale. You can order a chair that came over in the Mayflower from the proprietor if you wish.

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## SOLDIER RELIEF BUREAU

### Several Bureaus to Be Combined—Sweet Bill Takes Precedence Over Rogers'

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.—It will be nip and tuck which bill for consolidation of the soldier relief measures wins out at the special session of congress. The first bills to drop into the legislative hopper today were measures pertaining to soldier relief and welfare. One of the first was a re-introduction of the Rogers bill for consolidation of war risk insurance, vocational education and such part of the public health service as pertains to veterans. That bill received warm support from the American Legion and other organizations and was approved by many Americans of congress last year when Mr. Rogers introduced it in the house. Then the bill went before the committee on interstate commerce and the hearings continued so long that the session ended with the bill still in the committee where it expired by limitation.

But other bills of the same nature are to be submitted. The Wason bill is to be again put before congress and Mr. Sweet of Iowa, a member of the committee, was on hand at the opening of the session with a bill covering the Rogers bill and "then some" ready to drop it in the little wicker basket on the speaker's desk, familiarly known as "the hopper."

The Sweet bill not only advocates the consolidation of the war risk, the vocational training and certain phases of the public health service, but it goes many steps further and includes the National Soldiers' homes and the pension bureau. Mr. Sweet's idea is to put under one bureau and in one building, all matters pertaining to ex-soldiers. He calls his bill the veterans bureau bill and its title tells the whole story in a nut-shell, for he proposes to make one department and one bureau deal with every phase of the ex-soldier situation. The Sweet bill is likely to have the right of way for early consideration by the committee, as a matter of courtesy to one of its members, and will moreover go before congress as a committee bill, which will gain its support. Mr. Sweet states he has embodied many of the best points of the Rogers bill in the new bill, but at the same time it is certain that if Mr. Rogers puts his new bill before congress it will stand on very firm ground, for it met with tremendous favor last year. The conditions of the Rogers bill are already well known, but the Sweet bill has these new features. It puts the veterans' bureau under the treasury department with an assistant secretary as director, whose salary will be $10,000. It is divided into two separate divisions, one the administration which looks after affairs in Washington, the other the field division which cares for all matters outside of Washington. Each division to have an assistant director whose salary will be $7500. The bill does away with the pension bureau and its director, and also the director of war risk, and it takes from the department of the interior and the department of war whatever powers they now have over the veteran relief or pension work, and puts them into the treasury. Bringing the soldiers' homes and pensions under the same management as war risk, etc. results in collecting all data, funds, working staff and responsibility under one bureau head and under one roof. It does not interfere or do away with any department or bureau already in existence except such as have to do with veteran relief work. "The bill is designed," said Mr. Sweet today, "to protect, aid and benefit the veterans. Its title tells the whole story. It is a veterans' bureau and nothing else."

The New England members of the committee by which the measures must be considered before they can reach the house are Winslow of Massachusetts, chairman; Merritt of Connecticut; Burroughs of New Hampshire and Stiness of Rhode Island, all of whom have from time to time expressed themselves as strongly in favor of consolidation of authority and other changes which will tend to hasten and improve federal work done for the benefit of war veterans and their families.

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**AERIAL TORPEDO BOATS**

LONDON, April 12.—The air ministry is constructing winged torpedo boats. They can fly or swim—swoop down on battleships like a bird of prey, fire a torpedo and soar away.


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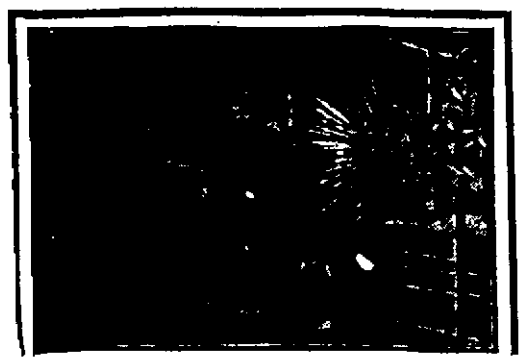

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## THE IRISH RELIEF FUND

### Lowell Campaign Committee Votes to Carry on Work Through Organization

The Lowell committee in charge of the campaign to raise $45,000 for Irish relief held another enthusiastic meeting in Elks' hall last evening to further plans for the drive here.

It was voted to carry on the work of raising the fund through various organizations and reports from a number of the societies represented at the meeting indicated that a program of events to raise money has already been outlined by them.

The committee voted to thank the press and other associations and individuals who helped to make Sunday's big meeting at the Opera House a success.

The following committee was appointed to act in conjunction with the various organizations in raising money and to solicit downtown business men: Peter McKenna, James O'Sullivan, Fred H. Rourke, J. J. McOsker, Joseph Lamoureux, James Droney, Mrs. Craven, Frank P. McGilly and Miss Maria Markham. Thomas Daly, Miss Gaffney and Miss Susie Ryan were appointed a committee to arrange for the distribution and sale of White Cross cards.

William Walsh said that the Broadway club is making arrangements to canvass all their members and residents of that section of the city and a communication from the local aerie of Eagles offered the use of Eagles' hall to the committee any evening that Elks' hall is engaged. Joseph Lamoureux, treasurer of the C. M.A.C., said his organization was behind the campaign to the limit and expressed the need of hasty action if the relief work is to be of avail.


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# STREET WORK PROGRAM

## Contract Labor Not as Good as City Labor, Says Mr. Murphy

Street Commissioner Murphy appeared before the board of directors of the Lowell Chamber of Commerce at the regular meeting of that body, held yesterday.

Mr. Murphy gave a statement of his program of work as announced in the papers, stating that it was not an iron-bound program or contract with the people and it might be subject to changes, and if the work could be done cheaper than had been estimated, additional work would be done. First street was included as one to be repaired, but if the program of the state for the completion of First street boulevard is better, the appropriation will be used for other work in the city.

Mr. Murphy was asked if he had considered the recommendations of the chamber of commerce, that the present methods of street construction be supplemented with a program for each year and that the city enter into contracts with road building concerns to carry out the work, and was also asked what were his objections to this plan. Mr. Murphy stated that the report sent from the chamber of commerce was not the one he anticipated. He did not look at it, he said, because he was busy with the budget and was subsequently ill. He had only gone over it that morning. He stated that he did not know just what was meant by supplementary arrangements for each year, stating that if this meant the contract feature he would say that, from his opinion and experience, the city would be the loser in the end. "Contract labor has no comparison with city labor. Even in Boston, the work done by contract labor does not compare with the work done by city laborers. It does not last so long. There are no streets in the country any better than our own in regard to paving jobs," continued Commissioner Murphy.

Mr. Murphy was asked if his estimate for paving with concrete blocks this year was approximately $10 per square yard. He replied in the affirmative. He was then asked if he would not favor entering into a contract for the work as it was done in Pawtucket and he replied that if there was such a ridiculous difference between the cost of city labor and contract labor as in Pawtucket, he would consider the proposition but would have to talk it over with his own men and would also have to see if the quality of the work was the same as had been done in Lowell. Mr. Murphy further stated that if the work could be done by contract for approximately 33 1-3 per cent. less than it could be done by his department, he might favor having the work done by contract.

In reply to a question Mr. Murphy stated that he was obliged to employ his laborers from the civil service list. He stated that in many cases it would be better if he did not have the civil service regulations. Concluding the discussion on the civil service Mr. Murphy stated that he believed it should be abolished as far as his department was concerned.

The question was then asked if the commissioner had considered the suggestion of the chamber of commerce in placing repair crews in the various sections of the city to see if the streets in each district be maintained in good condition. In reply Mr. Murphy stated that he had considered the suggestion. He stated that more material had been used for patching purposes during the last two years than for several years before he took office. He stated he had more men employed on repair work than for several years prior to his election as commissioner. The directors and Mr. Murphy discussed at length the matter of repairing the streets but the commissioner did not think that any improvement could be made upon his present plan without employing additional crews and teams to cover the streets.

Part of Central st. was done by contract, but you must remember that our own men did the work and were simply paid by the contractor. The contractor showed the men how to do it.

Mr. William Goodell explained that the chamber of commerce committee had in mind that under the contract work the laborers would be Lowell men, not men brought here from outside by the contractors, and that could be possible by making such provision in the contract entered into by the city and the contracting concern.

Mr. Murphy stated that it was his intention to write to those communities which had been quoted in the report of the chamber of commerce to secure information on what basis the statements were made. He said that he had talked with the street commissioner in Lawrence and the commissioner stated that he had arrived at the figures given in the chamber by guess-work. He also stated that in Lowell the curb had been moved and the sidewalks repaired as a result of the road work which was charged to paving. In Lawrence money for repair of sidewalks and curbs is not charged to the fund for road work.

**Granite Block Paving**

Mr. Murphy was asked what the granite paving blocks cost last year. He replied that he could not give the figures as he did not look it up. He stated that he left the matter of figures to the city engineer. He thought that an estimate had been made and it was in the engineer's office. He was asked if the fact that Pawtucket, R. I., in 1919, laid new granite blocks similar to the work done in Lowell last year for $3.75 per square yard, work being done by contract, would not this show that the work might be done at a less expense by contract in Lowell? Mr. Murphy stated, "If that is a fact it might show such a thing, but I'd be willing to wager, however, that no contractor could lay paving at that price. I don't think it can be done." He further stated that he did not believe the $3.95 included the cost of the concrete base or re-cutting of blocks. In reply to a question, Mr. Murphy stated that the cost of laying a six-inch concrete base would be approximately $6.50 per square yard.

Secretary Wells was then asked to telephone to George A. Carpenter, city engineer of Pawtucket, and ascertain if the contract price of $3.75 included the cost of laying a concrete base. Mr. Carpenter replied that it did, that the $3.75 included the entire cost of paving with recut granite blocks.

The question was asked that if the paving work was done by contract if it would not release the teams and men now employed by the city on paving work to be used for the maintenance and upkeep of the roads in good condition at the present.

"That is logical," replied Mr. Murphy, "but I disagree with contract work; I have no respect for it." He further stated contract work will not be any cheaper than the regular city labor and "you can't get any paving concern in the country that will do work any better than the city." There is no paving in the country any better than that done in Lowell. In reply to a question by one of the directors, Mr. Murphy stated that street work in Lowell had fallen behind during the last five years; he stated that it could not be helped because the city could not get material.

**Highway Engineer**

The question was asked if it would not be an economical proposition to bring a highway engineer to Lowell to supplement the survey made by the chamber of commerce and to ascertain what it would cost to put all of the streets in Lowell in first class condition. Mr. Murphy stated that the city has an engineering force of its own and he would not want to pay for the survey out of his department. He agreed that it was a good proposition but added that there was at present enough work to do.

The matter of securing specification for the laying of granite block pavement from the engineer's office in order that they might be compared with those of other cities such as Pawtucket, R. I., was discussed. Mr. Murphy stated that the engineer could to a certain degree give the specifications.

It was decided by the board of directors that the chamber of commerce should secure these specifications and compare them with the specifications of the work done in other cities by contract and ascertain, if possible, the price for which the same work could be done in Lowell by contract.

# U. S. ARMY AIR SERVICE COST $598,090,781

NEW YORK, April 12.—Expenditures of the United States for the army air service during the war, often placed by critics of the service at more than $1,000,000,, actually amounted to a net outlay of $598,090,781, it is shown in a letter from Major H. M. Hickam, chief of the information group in the air service to the Aviation and Air Craft Journal.

The letter, embraced in an article which that magazine will publish this week, declares that after two years of settling claims, adjusting cancelled contracts and liquidation, the air service has returned to the United States treasury $532,564,781 of the appropriations made for it by congress.

"The actual amounts appropriated for the army air service during the war aggregated $1,087,051,755," the article says.

"From this total there were revoked by congress sums aggregating $487,000,000, making the net amount available for expenditure by the war department $1,200,054,753.

"Until now the charge has been made and the public has been led to believe that most of this money was spent and largely wasted.

"The amount actually expended from the money appropriated for the war department for the air service, in this country and abroad during the war, was $617,489,977. From this has been deducted $19,399,196 realized by sales of surplus material."

From July 1, 1917, to March 31, 1919, the period of war contracts, it adds, there was delivered to the army 13,894 complete airplanes with spare parts, and 41,353 aeronautical engines and spare parts.

## ESCAPED FROM BURNING BUILDING

Mr. Paul Coster and his young son, who occupied a five-room bungalow near Albina street, East Chelmsford, had a narrow escape this morning, when the building in which they were sleeping was burned to the ground. The Chelmsford fire department was summoned and Chief Saunders of the local department, at the request of Police Officer George Small of East Chelmsford, sent a piece of apparatus over, but the combined efforts of both departments were fruitless, and not even one piece of furniture was saved.

The fire was discovered at about 3.30 o'clock by Mr. Coster, who was awakened by the crackling of flames. He quickly awakened his son and both made quick exit. Officer Small was notified and he quickly sounded an alarm and then requested assistance from the local department. A piece of chemical was despatched to the scene, but by the time it arrived the house was wrapped in flames. The bungalow was built by Mr. Coster a short time ago, but was not fully insured. It is believed the fire was caused by a defective kerosene stove.

**FIRE IN DRACUT WOODS**

A threatening blaze started in the woods in the rear of the George Heland farm in Mammoth road, Dracut, this noon and for a couple of hours the members of the Dracut fire department were kept busy fighting the flames. The fire started in the swamp in the vicinity of Long pond and made rapid progress towards valuable timber when the alarm was sounded, but the firefighters succeeded in checking the flames before any serious damage was caused.

**ATTACHMENT FILED**

An attachment has been recorded in the Middlesex north registry of deeds by Mary F. O'Dowd, executrix of the will of Henry J. O'Dowd, on property of Mike Shamas, in an action of contract. The sum named in the attachment is $1500.

**HOWLING MATCH**

A bowling match between teams representing the Girls' City club and the Lowell Y.W.C.A. will be staged tomorrow evening, at the alleys of the local American Legion post, on Dutton street. The affair will begin at 7.30 o'clock.

## Wants Trees Removed

Continued

mission six per cent. of the cost of construction.

**Meeting in Detail**

Today's meeting was called at 10.05. Commissioner Salmon was absent.

After hearings, the following petitions were referred to Commissioners Murphy and Marchand:

Lowell Electric Light corporation, two poles in Mt. Washington street to give service at Nos. 17 and 28.

Lowell Electric Light Corp., one pole in Canton street, to serve No. 71.

New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., two pole locations and abandonment of one pole in Mt. Grove street between Fourth and Fifth avenues. There was one objector.

Lowell Electric Light Corp., one pole in Crescent street, near Parker.

Lowell Electric Light Corp., one pole to give service at 711 Central street.

The petition of Irene Dubois for a garage and gasoline license at 31 Ford street was referred for a hearing April 26.

Hearings will also be held April 26 on the petitions of the Lowell Electric Light Corp. for a pole in Gibson street and another in Bulman road.

The petition of John Cassidy et al. that Walnut street be resurfaced, was referred to Commissioner Murphy.

Similar action was taken on the petition of William D. Brown et al. that the crossing at Fremont and Sixth streets be repaired.

**Want Moody Street Repaired**

A petition signed by Joseph Payette and a very large number of other residents of Moody street asked that that thoroughfare from Pawtucket street to Sixth avenue be macadamized. The petition was referred to Commissioner Murphy.

The petition of Maurice W. Mulcahy for a license to conduct a lunch cart on the southerly side of Jackson street was referred to Commissioners Murphy and Marchand.

The council approved a bill of $736.56 for 5000 pounds of arsenate of lead to be used by the moth department in spraying.

Commissioner Murphy was authorized to issue a requisition upon the purchasing agent for the purchase of a truck for the engineering department at a sum not to exceed $820, the same to be charged to the appropriation of the engineering department.

Adjourned at 11.35 until Tuesday next at 10 a. m.

**Headaches from Slight Cold**

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**CAPTAIN OF YALE TEAM**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 12.—Re-election of A. P. Walker, Jr., of Pelham Manor, N.Y., as captain of the Yale fencing team, was announced today. During the past winter, the team was defeated only once in six dual meets.

**"EDDIE" COURTNEY DEAD**

SARANAC LAKE, N.Y., April 12.—Daniel Courtney of Worcester, Mass., known on the vaudeville stage as "Eddie" Courtney, died here yesterday, aged 29 years.

## Schoolboys Meet

Continued

class A; 220-yard dash, class B; one-half mile, one class only; relay race, 4 boys, one class only; shot put, one class only, 12-lb. shot; running broad jump, class A; running broad jump, class B; running high jump, class A; running high jump, class B; pole vault, class A; pole vault, class B.

The rules for the event are as follows: Two classes, one for boys weighing over 100 pounds, called Class A; one for boys weighing 100 pounds or under, called Class B; no entry fees but entries should be all in by the 18th. Preliminaries should be conducted by each school to determine their very best athletes in each class. Please note that there will be no shotput or half mile for the smaller boys. In the half mile an M.D.'s signature is necessary, saying that a boy is in condition to run this event. Boys should be at the Eliot school basement, corner of Summer and Favor streets, by 8.45 o'clock, in order to change to running suit by 9 o'clock when the 100-yard dash is called for.

The committee in charge of the event is as follows: Major Walter B. Joyes, chairman; Alfred Armstrong, starter; T. R. Williams, clerk of course; Earl P. Leadbetter, assistant clerk of course; W. C. MacBrayne, D. P. Brennan and Michael F. Rynne, judges; Leon C. Wells and Eric Barker, timers; Paul U. McGregor, announcer. The prizes will be as follows: Loving cup for school team which makes the largest number of points; small loving cup for each boy winning a first place in any event; ribbons for boys winning relay race and ribbons for second and third places in each event.

The baseball league among teams representing the various public schools of the city has also been organized by Major Joyes and the teams represented on the league are as follows: Bartlett, Butler, Edson, Colburn, Green, Greenhalge, Lincoln, Moody, Morey, Riverside, Varnum and Washington. The games will start as soon as everything is in readiness, for there still remain a few details to be looked after such as grounds, dates of games and umpires.

## Harding's Recommendations

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in that which the traffic can bear. . . . . Railway rates and costs of operation must be reduced." . . . . . "The remaining obstacles which are the heritage of capitalistic exploitation must be removed and labor must join management in understanding that the public which pays, is the public to be served and simple justice is the right and will continue to be the right of all the people."

**Good Roads**

The strengthening of laws governing federal aid.

**Merchant Marine**

Private monopolies tending to prevent the development of needed facilities should be prohibited. Government owned facilities wherever possible without unduly interfering with private enterprise or government needs should be made available for general usages."

**Aviation**

Regulation by the federal government and encouragement of aviation for development for military and civil purposes.

**Service Men**

The American people expect congress unfailingly to voice the gratitude of the republic in a generous and practical way to its defenders in the world war. The immediate extension and utilization of government hospital facilities to bring relief to the acute conditions most complained of.

**Public Welfare**

Co-ordination of various government agencies now working on the subject and endorsement of the pending maternity bill.

**Lynching**

Congress ought to wipe the stain of barbaric lynching from the banners of a free and orderly representative democracy. A proposal for a commission with representatives of white and black races to study and report on the subject "has real merit."

**Army and Navy**

Early consideration of pending appropriation bills was urged. "The government is in accord with the wish to eliminate the burdens of heavy armament," said the president. "The United States will ever be in harmony with such a movement toward the higher attainments of peace. But we shall not entirely discard our agencies for defense until there is removed the need to defend. We are ready to co-operate with other nations to approximate disarmament but merest prudence forbids that we disarm alone."

**National Finance**

"The staggering load of war debt must be cared for in orderly funding and gradual liquidation. We shall hasten the solution and aid effectively in lifting the tax burdens if we strike resolutely at expenditures."

**Administration**

"Enactment of a national budget system and general reductions by efficient management of the cost of government."

**Business**

"Less of government in business as well as more business in government. . . . There is no challenge to honest and lawful business success. But government approval of fortune, untrammelled business does not mean toleration of restraint of trade or of maintained prices by unnatural methods . . . Anxious as we are to restore the onward flow of business, it is fair to combine assurance and warning in one utterance."

**Agriculture**

"The retained costs in perishable foods cannot be justified. . . . Reduced costs of basic production has been recorded, but high cost of living has not yielded in like proportion. . . Without the spirit of hostility or haste in accusation of profiteering some suitable inquiry by congress might speed the price readjustment to normal relationship with helpfulness to both producer and consumer. A measuring rod of fair prices will satisfy the country and give us a business revival to end all depression and unemployment."

These were the principal subjects touched on in the address which was about 7500 words in length, and a large portion of which was devoted to the related subjects of peace, the League of Nations and the country's foreign policy.

**Declares Against League**

The president's discussion of the peace question opened with a definite declaration against the existing League of Nations.

"In the existing League of Nations, world governing with its superior powers," he said, "this republic will have no part. There can be no misinterpretation and there will be no betrayal of the deliberate expression of the American people in the recent election; and, settled in our decision for ourselves, it is only fair to say to the world in general and to our associates in war in particular, that the league covenant can have no sanction by us. x x x x x x x Manifestly the highest purpose of the League of Nations was defeated in linking it with the treaty of peace and making it the enforcing agency of the victors of the war. x x x x There can be no prosperity for the fundamental purposes sought to be achieved by any such association so long as it is an organ of any particular treaty, or committed to the attainment of the special aims of any nation or group of nations. x x x x x x x.

In rejection of the league covenant and uttering the rejection to our own people, and to the world, we make no surrender of our hope and aim for an association to promote peace in which we would most heartily join. x x x x. In the national referendum (the last election) we pledged our efforts toward such association and the pledge will be faithfully kept. In the plight of policy and performance we told the American people we meant to seek an early establishment of peace. The United States alone among the allied and associated powers continues in a technical state of war against the central powers of Europe."

**Peace Without Delay**

"The anamalous condition ought not to be permitted to continue. To establish the state of technical peace without delay, I should approve a declaratory resolution by congress to that effect, with the qualifications essential

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CHARLIE CHAPLIN TO MARRY AGAIN

This is May Collins, movie actress, who is reported to be engaged to wed Charlie Chaplin (inset.) May refers inquirers to Charlie and Charlie tells 'em he doesn't care to discuss the subject.

## BETTY AND HER BEAU — BY PARKS

# CAREY WILL CONTEST IN SUPERIOR COURT

The contest of the will of Mrs. Helen F. Carey was continued before Judge Franklin T. Hammond and a jury in the superior court today. The will leaves an estate, with the exception of $1 bequeathed to a daughter, Mrs. Mary Josephine Butler of Springfield, to George W. F. Carey, a son. The estate consists mainly of the home residence property of the deceased. The will is being contested by Mrs. Butler on the ground that undue influence was brought to bear to secure the making of the will.

## MANSLAUGHTER CASE IS CONTINUED

The case of Lawrence Roark, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Daniel Direnski, 5, hit by a motor truck operated by the defendant, was continued today in the police court to April 23. The same bond of $2000 was retained. On March 11 the young Direnski boy, who was the son of Dannis Direnski, formerly police court interpreter and now proprietor of a Middlesex street fruit store, died of a fractured skull and internal injuries at the Lowell Corporation hospital, after being knocked down by an automobile truck in Middlesex street near Smith. Roark, who resides on Fourth street, was driving the machine, when the boy is said to have run out into the street and to have been thrown violently. The truck was the property of the Eastern Massachusetts street railway.

London has a squad of motorcycle policewomen.

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — BY BLOSSER

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# FIGURES ON GERMANY'S ECONOMIC REVIVAL

PARIS, April 12.—Figures by experts to show the extent of Germany's economic revival as bearing upon her ability to pay reparations have been submitted in a report to the reparations commission. This report will form in part the basis of the commission's calculation of Germany's capacity to pay.

The bank deposits of Germany, it says, increased last year from 4,500,000,000 to 6,250,000,000 marks.

The experts declare there has been a marked change in the ratio of imports and exports which is bringing the value of the total exports to a considerable excess over the value of the imports. The exports to Holland alone, they state, amount to the equivalent of 3,800,000,000 francs last year.

The experts point out a number of cases in which industrial enterprises have made immense profits, several of these last year distributing dividends which exceeded the nominal value of their capital stock. They declare that 1,032,000,000 marks were invested last year in new shares or in new companies.

As evidence of the swelling of the German budget, of which the allies have complained was unnecessarily increasing Germany's interior burden and hampering her capacity to pay reparations, the experts cite figures showing that there are 300,000 more railroad employes on the payrolls than there were in 1914, and in the face of a decrease of one-half in passenger traffic and of 20 per cent in freight traffic.

### BRINGS 300,000 SACKS OF COFFEE

RIO JANEIRO, April 12.—More than 300,000 sacks of coffee have been purchased in this city and at Santos by the government since March 30, says the Correio Demanha. The newspaper declares the government is thus carrying out its announced intention to intervene in the market for the purpose of raising the price of Brazil's leading product and improving foreign exchange.

### SUPER-TAX ON ORE

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 12.—Governor Preus has signed a bill recently passed by the legislature providing for a 6 per cent. super-tax on iron and other ore mined in Minnesota. It is estimated the measure will yield approximately $4,500,000 annually in revenue to the state.


# RHEUMATISM LEFT HIM AS IF BY MAGIC!

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Regains Strength Goes out Fishing, Back to Business, Laughs at "URIC ACID"

How the "Inner Mysteries" Reveals Startling Facts Overlooked By Doctors and Scientists For Centuries

"I am eighty-three years old and I doctored for rheumatism ever since I came out of the army over fifty years ago," writes J. R. Ashelman. "Like many others, I spent money freely for so-called 'cures', and I have read about 'Uric Acid' until I could almost taste it. I could not sleep nights or walk without pain; my hands were so sore and stiff I could not hold a pen. But now, as if by magic, I am again in active business and can walk with ease or write all day with comfort. Friends are surprised at the change."

HOW IT HAPPENED.

Mr. Ashelman is only one of thousands who suffered for years, owing to the general belief in the old, false theory that "Uric Acid" causes rheumatism. This erroneous belief induced him and legions of unfortunate men and women to take wrong treatments. You might just as well attempt to put out a fire with oil as to try to get rid of your rheumatism, neuritis and like complaints by taking treatments supposed to drive Uric Acid out of your blood and body. Many physicians and scientists now know that Uric Acid never did, never can, and never will cause rheumatism; that it is a natural and necessary constituent of the blood; that it is found in every new-born babe; and that without it we could not live!

These statements may seem strange to some folks, who have all along been led to believe in the old "Uric Acid" humbug. It took Mr. Ashelman fifty years to find out this truth. He learned how to get rid of the true cause of his rheumatism, other disorders, and recover his strength from "The Inner Mysteries", a remarkable book now being distributed free by an authority who devoted over twenty years to the scientific study of this particular trouble.

NOTE: If any reader of The Sun wishes the book that reveals these facts regarding the true cause and cure of rheumatism, facts that were overlooked by doctors and scientists for centuries past, simply send a post card or letter to H. P. Clearwater, No. 1012 D Street, Hallowell, Maine, and it will be sent by return mail without any charge whatever. Cut out this notice lest you forget! If not a sufferer yourself, hand this good news to some afflicted friend. —Adv.



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## THE LATEST BANK

(The latest thing in "banks" is a compact, clasp-lock pocket. Miss Ruth Oswald is shown demonstrating its superiority over the old-fashioned "first national.")

# IN THE POLICE COURT

## Local Company Fined for Violation of Labor Law—Liquor Case

The A. J. Foster company was fined $50 in police court today on one of four counts charging violations of the labor laws. The state contended that the defendant had allowed girls to work more than the legal forty-eight hours during a single week. In defense it was explained that during the Easter rush the girls desired to make extra money, and were therefore permitted to work overtime. Paul Paters, of Tyngsboro, paid a fine of $150 for unlawful keeping of liquor. Officer Holt made the arrest. The defendant pleaded guilty. Three assault and battery cases were continued. One drunkenness case was filed. Stanley Abbott, 18, was found guilty of being present at a game on the Lord's day and was fined $5, which he paid.

A local storekeeper was fined $20 for advertising cold storage butter as fresh butter.

# PANAMA TROOPS MASS ALONG FRONTIER

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, April 12.—Troops of the Republic of Panama are being concentrated in the Coto and Almirante districts along the Costa Rican frontier and are being closely watched by military leaders in this country. Military preparations for the purpose of countering any blow struck by Panama are not being made, as the government and people of Costa Rica are confident the United States will follow out the program laid down by Secretary Hughes in his note to Costa Rica and Panama. It is stated that Costa Rican government is holding the Panaman steamer Belen Quisada as a result of Panama's refusal to return several launches captured near Coto when war seemed imminent a few weeks ago.

"Despite the war-like preparations of Panama," said Julio Acosta, president or Costa Rica, "the Costa Rican government is awaiting the outcome of the frontier controversy tranquility. Panama has not relaxed her military activities since her official rejection of the frontier decision handed down by Chief Justice White of the United States supreme court, but this country is not making any special military preparations, confidently expecting a solution safeguarding Costa Rican territorial rights as a result of the energetic attitude assumed by the United States."

## MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Arthur Descoteaux and Mrs. Marie Richard were married this morning, at a nuptial mass celebrated at 8 o'clock, in the private chapel of St. Joseph's rectory, the officiating clergyman being Very Rev. E. J. Turcotte, O.M.I. The bride wore a dark blue traveling suit with hat to match and was given away by her nephew, Mr. Charles Dubois of Nashua, N.H., while the groom was attended by his father, Mr. Prime Descoteaux. At the close of the ceremony, the bridal party repaired to the home of a brother of the groom, Mr. Adjutor Descoteaux, 562 Moody street, where a wedding breakfast was served. Present at the festivities from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dubois and Rev. Fr. Richard, all of Nashua, N.H. The happy couple left at noon on a honeymoon trip to Boston, Providence, R.I., Salem and Keene, N.H., and upon their return they will make their home at 12 Dracut street.

### Soucy—Desrochers

The marriage of Mr. George Soucy and Miss Marie Lumina Desrochers took place Sunday, at St. Joseph's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Athanase Marion, O.M.I. The couple were [illegible] by Messrs. Joseph Ayotte [illegible] Jeremie Desrochers. The couple will make their home in this city.

### Hunter—Morrison

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Morrison announce the marriage of their daughter, Grace E., in New York city, April 1, to Sergt. Maj. Guy F. Hunter of Camp Devens. Sergt. Maj. Hunter is a world war veteran, having served 17 months overseas with the A.E.F. and the Army of Occupation.

### SHAVER O'BRIEN WINS

BOSTON, April 12.—Shaver O'Brien of South Boston scored a close 10-round decision over Harry Silva of the West End in the main bout of the Carlyle A. C. show at the Grand Opera House last night.

In the semi-final Dutch Regan of East Boston beat Tommy Rawson, also of the Neddie Island section, in another 10-round number.

In the third scheduled 10-round affair Johnny Donovan of South Boston stopped Johnny Duffey of New Orleans in two rounds.

### NOONAN WINS AT SALEM

SALEM, April 12.—At the boxing tourney last night, Johnny Noonan of Dorchester defeated Billy Myers of Boston, after 10 rounds of terrific fighting. Myers was the aggressor throughout, but Noonan's clean punches earned him the decision.

Jack McCarty of Woburn made Sailor Gardiner of Roxbury quit in the sixth round.

The largest room without columns is said to be in a mosque in Lucknow, India.

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## A Good Blood Tonic

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# MINSTREL CONCERT BY SANCTUARY CHOIR

St. Patrick's sanctuary choir will present its annual minstrel concert tomorrow evening in Associate hall at 8 o'clock and this year's affair promises to be of the same high standard as previous efforts of the popular Aere organization. Many talented entertainers have volunteered their services to supplement the efforts of the members of the choir. After the entertainment there will be general dancing. James H. Lyons will be in the interlocutor's chair and the endmen will include Edward (Tip) Handley, John (Doc) Keefe, Charles Clancey and Daniel P. Brennan. The program, opening with a medley of popular airs by the chorus, will continue as follow:

Cohan's Divorce, Frankie Sullivan, J. (Happy) Hourihan; Little Mother of Mine, Martin Maguire; Aunt Jemima's Jubilee, John (Doc) Keefe; Think Alone, Mrs. Nora Regan Longtin; xylophone quartet, O'Riely family, featuring Peggy O'Riley; monologue, Alfred (Chick) Shea; I Love the Land of Old Black Joe, Charles Clancey; If a Baby Would Never Grow Old, Master John Spillane; I'm Missing Mammie's Kissin', Danny Brennan; solo, selected, Mr. Fred Cummings; Yodle, Mr. James H. Loyns, assisted by the Honey Boy Four; My Wild Irish Rose, Mr. Thomas Delmore; solo, selected, Mr. James Deignan; I Wish I Was Born in Borneo, Mr. John McArdle; Scotch songs, Mr. James E. Donnelly; I Used to Love You, Edward (Tip) Handley; Let's Help the Irish Now, Mr. Edward Rogers, assisted by the Honey Boys and chorus. Director and accompanist, Mr. William Paul McCarthy.

# BLOOD TEST TO DECIDE PATERNITY OF CHILD

SPRINGFIELD, April 12.—The first blood test to determine the paternity of a child to be made in Massachusetts, will be made here soon. The child in question is that of Doris Foisy. Thomas Crover is alleged to be the father, while he declares that the father is George Webb, a soldier at Fort Hamilton, New York. The latter denies it. Crover is a defendant in the district court.

The child, born Feb. 1, was exhibited in court to determine which of the men involved it resembled most. The child was so young that the result was disappointing. However, by agreement of the parties concerned, it was agreed to have a blood test. The blood of each of the men will be compared with that of the child.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

CLEVELAND, April 12.—The second annual convention of the National League of Women Voters formally opened today with more than 1000 delegates and alternates from all parts of the country in attendance. The convention will close Saturday afternoon.

Conferences on child welfare, uniform laws concerning women, and food supply and demand reported their recommendations last night. Those to report today are American citizenship; election laws and methods; social hygiene and women in industry.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Mrs. E. T. Costigan of the National League of Women Voters, refused to allow a representative of the Institute of American Meat Packers to present facts and figures concerning the industry to the conference on food supply and demand at Cleveland, according to charges made public here today by the institute. The statement said that S. T. Nash, president of the Cleveland Provision Co., and vice president of the institute, was told by Mrs. Costigan that it would be impossible to permit the packers' side to be given a hearing at the committee conference.

According to the statement, Mr. Nash had requested that the institute be given a place on the program because he had learned that the announced program, plainly indicated that only one side of the question would be presented when federal regulation of the meat industry would be considered.

## Packers Must Sell Interests

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opinion of both either the Sherman act or the terms of the decree are being violated.

The plan sets forth that the defendants are to proceed to sell their stock with due diligence with reports of all sales submitted to the court for its approval. These reports must contain the price and the name of the proposed purchasers and must be accompanied by affidavits that the proposed purchasers are in no way connected with the defendants.

In the event that any of the stock remains unsold at the end of the year the defendants may obtain an extension of time upon a showing made to the court of diligence in their efforts to dispense of the stock at a fair and reasonable price.

"The legal principle of course was up to the department of justice," Justice Stafford said after he had signed the plan, "and when the department had approved the plan it was only incumbent upon me to see that the law was not violated by any of the particulars. I was glad to find that such was not the case and therefore approved the plan."

The properties which are to be sold by the two companies are:

Sioux City Stockyard company; St. Paul Union Stockyards Co.; St. Joseph Stockyards company; Fort Worth Stockyards Co.; Denver Union Stockyards company; Kansas Stockyards company; St. Louis National Stockyards; Union Stockyards company, of Omaha, Ltd.; Bourbon Stockyards company, Louisville, Ky., Newark, N. J. Stockyards; Milwaukee Stockyards company; Brighton Stockyards company, Boston; Portland Union Stockyards company, North Portland, Ore.; Cleveland Union Stockyards company; Sioux City Terminal Railway company; St. Paul Bridge & Terminal company, St. Paul; St. Joseph Belt Railway company, St. Joseph, Mo.; Fort Worth Belt Railway company; Kansas City Connecting railroad; East St. Louis Junction Railroad company.

Agreement to dispose of their stockyard interests was made by the packers in the consent decree filed with the District of Columbia supreme court more than a year ago. Plans under which the other of the "Big Five" packers are to dispose of their stock were agreed upon some time ago. Two previous plans were submitted by Armour & Co., and Swift & Co., but were disapproved by the court after the department of justice filed objections.

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# TO DIRECT SOLDIER RELIEF ACTIVITIES

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Direction of all soldier relief activities of the government, with the exception of vocational training will be transferred to the war risk bureau as soon as the necessary details for the move can be completed, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury La Porte said today.

Public health hospitals will continue to treat veterans, but under the direction of the bureau, which will be responsible for the medical and surgical treatment of the men. All diagnosis and admittance to hospitals will also be through the bureau, and veterans can be sent to public health, army, navy or state hospitals as the bureau directs. A hospital inspection service is to be established, which will see that all hospitals where disabled veterans are treated, are up to the standard.

# FRENCH VIEWPOINT ON MANDATE QUESTION

PARIS, April 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Ambassador Jusserand is understood here to have given Secretary Hughes in Washington the French viewpoint on the mandate question raised by the secretary's recent note, in which the United States insisted she was entitled to a voice in the ultimate disposition of the former overseas possessions of Germany.

The ambassador's verbal communication, it was said, was in lieu of a written reply to the latest American note, and such a reply will probably not be sent for the present.

The foreign office today declined to disclose the substance of M. Jusserand's talk with Secretary Hughes, but in usually well-informed quarters he is said to have told the secretary that France recognized the justice of the American claim to be consulted on such questions and was favorable to the American contentions regarding the island of Yap.

## YOUNG WOMEN PLAN BARN DANCE

Among the season's social events of interest, is the barn dance to be given by the Y.W.H.A. tomorrow evening at Lincoln hall, the proceeds of which will go towards the adoption of European orphans. The social committee are sparing no efforts to make this affair a huge success and many novel ideas will be introduced. Prizes will be given to the man and woman who appear in the most original and appropriate costumes. Those on the social committee are as follows: Mrs. F. Wolfson, chairman; Mrs A. Stein, Mrs. S. Abrams, Mrs. L. Kotzen, Mrs. I. Swartz, Miss M. Cantor, Miss R. Brown, Miss E. Paresky, Miss M. Stolloff, Miss R. Blank, Miss R. Ballofsky, Miss A. Kaplan.

### TIRE CO. REDUCES STOCK

COLUMBUS, O., April 12.—The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. of Akron today filed articles with the secretary of state reducing its common stock from $100,000,000 to $1,000,000.

Roads paved with huge blocks of stone were recently excavated in Mexico.

## Vetoes Bill to Change City Government

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 12.—Mayor Buck today vetoed a bill designed to change the city government from a commission to an aldermanic system. He says the measure was drawn in secret and passed by the legislature "at the request of unknown and invisible persons, and is still without the declared support of a single organization of our citizens." Buffalo has had a commission form of government since January, 1916.

## Farmer Co-operative Assn. Discussed

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The status of Farmer Co-operative Marketing associations under the Sherman anti-trust act was discussed today at the American Farm Bureau Federation conference, which is meeting to frame a farmers' legislative program.

## 2504 Bills Introduced in House

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Weary house filing clerks were still at work today trying to catalogue 2504 bills introduced yesterday. It was a record-breaking first day flood of new measures. In the lot were close to a thousand bills allotting cannon captured by Americans during the war to towns and cities in all sections of the country.


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## Sporting News and Newsy Sports

# FIRST GAME OF POLO SERIES HERE TONIGHT

The first game in the big post-season series between the New Bedford Whalers, winners of the American Roller Polo league pennant, and the Lowell "Colts" will be played at the Crescent rink tonight. The series is expected to develop great interest, as the contending clubs have been bitter rivals all season. The rivalry really started long before the present season, as two of the star players on the New Bedford club formerly played with Lawrence when the down-river city was represented in the league, and naturally the rivalry that existed in those days followed the players, when they went to other fields.

The Whalers, led by Duke Dufresne and Bill Duggan, are a scrappy team, a fast, aggressive and apparently tireless outfit, and they and the various local clubs have engaged in many thrilling clashes during the season.

With the lineup that represented Lowell in the final few weeks of the season, the Whalers could accomplish little, as the rejuvenated Lowell team won the majority of the games played. This outcome resulted in the Lowell team challenging the Whalers to the series.

After tonight's game the teams will go to New Bedford for games Wednesday and Thursday nights. If one team has not won three games, the clubs will come back to Lowell to play Friday night. If a fifth game is necessary it will be played here Saturday night.

## HEARING ON FISH AND GAME LICENSES

Members of the executive committee of the Lowell Fish and Game association went to Boston today to attend a hearing on a bill to increase the price of hunting and fishing licenses. The Lowell men spoke in opposition to the proposed increase, reference to which was made in these columns yesterday. Yesterday's statement, however, was in error to the extent that it did not state correctly the amount of the proposed increases. The rate at present is 50 cents for a fishing license and $1 for a hunting license. If the new bill should become law, fishing and hunting licenses would cost $2 each.

If any improvement resulted from increased revenues the hunters and fishermen in this neck of the woods would not so strongly oppose the proposed advance in the price of fishing and hunting licenses. But the commission that would handle the money accruing from such an increase has not been breaking its neck to do anything wonderful in these parts. That is the sentiment expressed by a member of the local association yesterday, and he spoke particularly of the failure on the part of the fish and game commission to do anything definite relative to the installation of a fishway at Pawtucket dam, despite the fact that money has already been appropriated for that purpose. The letter from Commissioner Adams read at the annual meeting of the association last Thursday evening, and in which he stated that work on the fishway here would be deferred until it was ascertained how well the fishway in Lawrence would function, did not please association members the least little bit and it was voted to send a letter to the commissioner instructing him to get busy as per statute and agreement. No thought, the members expressed, was given by the commissioner of the fish that are carried down over the falls. The fish are unable to return because it is impossible for them to negotiate the falls without the assistance of a fishway. It is also pointed out that the commissioner failed to take into account the fish that reach the Merrimack river from its various tributaries below the falls.

## "$250,000 INFIELD" IN OPENING GAME

BOSTON, April 12.—Present indications are that Manager Hugh Duffy of the Boston Americans will be able to present his "$250,000 infield" in the opening game of the season in Washington tomorrow, said despatches received here today from New York. Derrill Pratt, second baseman, is expected to join the Sox in time for the game, reports said. "Stuffy" McInnis is already with the club, and the injuries to Oscar Vitt and Everett Scott were said to have so far improved that they would be able to play third base and shortstop, respectively.

Manager Duffy was quoted as saying that Sam Jones and "Muddy" Ruel would start the game as the battery for the Sox. The local team planned to leave New York for Washington today.

## TO REORGANIZE TWILIGHT LEAGUE

Six teams were admitted to the Twilight league at a meeting of the organization last evening and each announced its readiness to put a strong outfit into the field next summer. The teams admitted to membership were Boland & Cannoy's South Ends, Walter Lyons, manager; Centralvilles, Ray Foye, manager; Gillespies, Charles Bird, manager; C.M.A.C., Charles Marcotte, manager; the Wanderers, Abe Buckley, manager; Bellevues, Case Ryan, manager.

The league had a very successful season last year and aroused as much enthusiasm as a professional league. There will be another meeting of the organization Monday evening, April 18.

### RAY WINS OVER DUNDEE

PITTSBURG, April 12.—Johnny Ray, Pittsburg featherweight, won the newspaper decision over Johnny Dundee, New York, in their 10-round bout here last night.

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# ATLANTIC CITY EXPECTED TO GET BIG BOUT

NEW YORK, April 12.—Tex Rickard's announcement that the Dempsey-Carpentier bout will be held in New Jersey has confirmed the belief that has obtained in boxing circles ever since he took over the interests of William A. Brady and Charles Cochran. As long as he was associated with the English promoter and his American representative there was a possibility that the battle for the world's heavyweight championship might find its way to England in spite of the repeated denials issued by Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager. The original contract plainly stated that the men would fight when and where the promoters decided. But just as soon as Rickard assumed sole control of the venture there was not the slightest doubt that he would stage the bout as near New York city as possible.

Had not Gov. Miller been opposed to having the bout staged in this state Rickard would have erected an arena just outside New York city. This was his original intention. His plans were severely jolted when the boxing commission ruled that not more than $15 could be charged for the best seats. But even under these conditions Rickard probably would have staged the bout in New York if the governor had looked kindly on the project. Rickard could have built a place that would have been large enough to assure him of a big gate even with $15 as the top price. But when Gov. Miller frowned, Rickard had no choice but to seek elsewhere for a site for the match that is probably the most talked of affair in the history of modern pugilism.

Putting the bout on in New Jersey virtually amounts to the same thing as staging it in New York. Rickard has said that all the prospective sites have been eliminated with the exception of Atlantic City, Newark and Jersey City. Any of these places is within easy access of the metropolis. The fact that the bout will be held in one of these places means that Rickard will be assured of a record gate. The promoter has announced that he plans to erect an arena that will cost $100,000 and will seat 50,000 persons. He proposes to charge from $5 to $50, and under these conditions the chances are the receipts will amount to more than they would have had he been able to hold the bout in this state with $15 as the maximum price.

According to those who are in a position to know, Rickard favors holding the match in Atlantic City.

On July 2, the specified date, the resort will be densely populated. The fact that boxing bouts in New Jersey are limited to 12 rounds, and that no decision can be rendered will not seriously mitigate against the attractiveness of the bout.

# EXPECTS TO SIGN GIBBS TO BOX AVILA

Matchmaker Joe McCarthy of the Crescent A.A. is negotiating with Woonsocket Joe Gibbs in an endeavor to have him meet Johnny Avila of Lowell in one of the 10-round bouts of the all-star show to be staged here on Thursday evening.

Avila is already signed and it is expected that Gibbs will attach his "John Henry" to a contract some time today. Avila is now boxing in rare form and he has gained great confidence since scoring knockout victories over Tony Marengo and Jack McCarthy. Gibbs is a rugged, aggressive battler, and if secured ought to give the Lowell boy a battle.

In the other two bouts, each of ten rounds, Johnny Shepard of Woburn and Young Crilly of Lawrence, and George Brooks of Lowell and Jimmy Kenney of Wakefield will entertain.

## SPORTING NOTES BY INSIDER

A broken thumb costs Benny Leonard $10,000. The old title is too valuable to risk with a wobbly digit so he called off his match with Frank Schoell.

Jack Dempsey is deluged with challenges from headstrong chaps who disregard the advice of their insurance agents.

Chick Evans is worrying because he'll have to wear a coat while shooting golf in the British Open during May weather.

Jack Sharkey's recent twins are boys. He intends to make fighters out of them.

Ty Cobb's little boy, Ty. Jr., has written his daddy for a pair of baseball shoes. Ty, Jr., is only in the fifth grade but he is a member of a ball team.

Connie Mack seems to pick pitchers for height. Of the 13 he now has the shortest is 5 feet 11. The tallest is 6 feet 6.

The Yanks are murdering poor pitching and falling down against the good stuff in their exhibition games. There's a whole story in those few words.

Zack Wheat is earning the extra salary Ebbets paid him by knocking the ball silly.

## AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Congress A.C., winners of the 14-15-year-old championship last year, challenges any team in the city averaging 15-16 years the Celtics or Fries preferred. The lineup follows: Conlin c, Firth p, Garrity or Lafamme 1b, Vaughan 2b, Daley ss, Hersom 3b, Ward lf, Smith cf, McLoughlin, or Johnson rf. Send all challenges to James Daly, 15 London street, or answer through this paper.

The Iowa A.C. baseball team won a victory over the Chippewas Saturday afternoon by the score of 8 to 5. The Iowas also defeated the Riverside aggregation 11 to 9 Sunday afternoon. The Iowas are willing to meet all comers of 14-15 years of age. Send challenges through this paper or phone Capt. Sullivan, 4573-W any night at 5.30.

The Tigers defeated the Maples Sunday by the score of 13 to 11. The feature of the game was the hitting of the Corbett brothers. The Tigers will play the Alpines Saturday afternoon.

The Young Athletics and the South End Juniors played a tie game Saturday, the game being called off on account of rain. The features of the game were the battery work of Flood and McNamara and the fielding of Loughran and Corcoran.

### BRAVES REACH BOSTON TODAY

BOSTON, April 12.—The Boston Nationals were scheduled to arrive in this city today to put the finishing touches on their spring training trip before meeting Brooklyn in the opening game of the National league season here tomorrow. Reports from the team said that the players would go to Braves field this afternoon for a workout. It was predicted that Joe Oeschger, who opposed the 1920 National league champions in the famous 26-inning game here last summer, would be Manager Mitchell's pitching selection for tomorrow's game.

# BIG AMATEUR BOXING TITLE TOURNAMENT

BOSTON, April 12.—After fighting into the early morning hours today in the preliminary rounds of the national title tournament, the survivors of a list of four score boxers representative of the best in the amateur rings of the United States and Canada rested during the day in preparation for semi-final and final tests tonight.

The Canadian lads, although in good condition and apparently well coached, lacked the winning punches against their American opponents in most instances. Boxers from Pittsburgh formed a team that carried off city honors in the early rounds.

Individuals who stood out in the night's milling included Sam Lagonia of New York, the national champion at 155 pounds for several years, who is making his last defense of the title; Arthur J. Rooney of Georgetown university who brought a stiff punch and trained mind to the ring to defeat two strong men in the 145 pound class; Henry C. Bohlin of Brockton, New England champion at that weight, who also trounced two opponents; Magnus Larsen of New York with both weight and a powerful punch to help him in the 175 pound class, and John Hamm of Pittsburgh and Al Pettingill of New Orleans, likely lads in the group of flyweights at 108 pounds or less.

The second round contests which were not finished until an early hour this morning included these bouts:

145-pound class: Charles J. E. Jenkesson, Los Angeles, defeated Harry Henning, Toronto, one round.

Milton Weiss, New York, defeated Ray Dempsey, Milwaukee, four rounds.

Arthur J. Rooney, Georgetown university, defeated Jack Novesti, Pittsburgh, three rounds.

H. C. Bohlin, Brockton, defeated Joseph Gallagher, New York, three rounds.

158-pound class: Sam Lagonia, New York, defeated Richard Flannigan, Revere, two rounds.

Bunny Feeny, New York, defeated George Allen, Melrose, one round.

Joe Feeney, Philadelphia, defeated Frank Allen, Melrose, default.

Jack Roe, Pittsburgh, defeated Shanto Brennan, Roxbury, two rounds.

### SHARF'S QUINTET WINS

**Defeats Twohey's Pets in First of Series of Three Bowling Matches—Great Excitement**

Sharf's quintet won the first of a series of three games from Twohey's Pets in an exciting bowling match on the Merrimack alleys last night. While no records were broken, several very good scores were put up. The match has created considerable interest "around the corner" and many of the fans were on hand to "razz" or cheer as the occasion demanded. When a bowler fell down on a chance for a spare or sent a ball down the gutter "razzberries" were handed out generously. The other games in the series will be rolled at a later date and the defeated team, which attributes its setback to the "gallery" is determined to bring along a bunch of rooters which will cheer the "pets" on to victory. The scores in last night's game follow:

Twohey's Pets—Corcoran 259, Fleof 251, Thewey 237, O'Connor 267, Fitzgerald 256.

Sharf's Pets—Kelley 262, Lannan 232, Leary 281, Barrett 259, Cullen 285.

### INFIELDER GRIMES SUSPENDED

TOLEDO, O., April 12.—Suspension of Infielder Roy Grimes for refusal to report to the Toledo club of the American association after being released by the New York Giants, was announced today in a message from Roger Bresnahan.

Grimes, according to Bresnahan's message, demanded a bonus of $1500 before making the trip to the minor league. This was refused by Bresnahan. Grimes is to have a conference with John McGraw today, it is understood, when the player will be ordered to join the Toledo club in Louisville or go home and be placed on the suspended list for the season.

Bresnahan also announced today that Charles Morgan, a Mercer university catcher, has been signed. If Morgan is as good as he has been touted, it means the passing of the veteran "Nig" Clarke, it was said.

The Toledo club today is traveling from Chattanooga to Louisville where the team opens the season tomorrow.

### CHICAGO TEAMS READY

CHICAGO, April 12—The Chicago Cubs returned home today with a scoring record of 55 runs in their last four games on the training ship. A brief workout in the North Side park is scheduled for this afternoon in preparation for the opening game of the season tomorrow here, against St. Louis. Alexander, it is expected, will start the opening game.

A strenuous practice session for the White Sox at Comiskey park yesterday made up for the lack of exercise for the Sox caused by postponement of the last few games of their training trip. The Sox left for Detroit today to open the season against Tigers. Kerr was favored as the pitching selection to start, with Faber as the alternate.

### GILDEA TO COACH H. C.

BOSTON, April 12.—Tom Gildea, outfielder last year with the Syracuse International league baseball team, yesterday was chosen head coach of the Boston college nine to succeed Tom McCarthy, who will join the Brooklyn Nationals as assistant manager on Wednesday.

### PROFANITY BARRED

CHICAGO, April 12.—Players in the American association using profanity on the baseball field will be banished immediately from the game, President Hickey said today in instructing his umpires in regard to the rules for the opening of the season tomorrow.

Pitchers will be forbidden to use any foreign substance in their deliveries which means that the emery and spit balls and other freak deliveries will be prohibited.

### NEW YORK TEAMS ALL SET

NEW YORK, April 12.—The New York Nationals will meet Fordham university's team in the final exhibition game of the training season today while the Yankees rest for their opening game here tomorrow with the Athletics, and the Dodgers go to Boston to open the season with the Braves.

After the Fordham game the Giants will leave for Philadelphia to open the season with the Phillies.

### GOLF CHAMP SAILS

NEW YORK, April 12.—Joseph Kirkwood, Australian open golf champion was a passenger aboard the steamship Aquitania, sailing today for England. While abroad he will participate in the English open championship and the French open tournament, after which he will return to the United States for the national open event.

### BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Many bowlers "tried their luck" in the big handicap tournament on the Crescent alleys yesterday and again some very fine scores were put up. This is the third week of the tourney and it is increasing in popularity every day. The handicapping, so excellently done by Walter Jewett, has made a great hit with the bowlers, as it gives the beginners as much chance as the experts in competing for part of the $1000 in prizes.

### GIBBONS TO MEET WILLIAMS

NEW YORK, April 12.—Tom Gibbons of St. Paul, brother of "Phantom Mike" Gibbons, will engage Larry Williams of Bridgeport, Conn., heavyweight, in a 15-round bout here tonight. In a recent bout here Gibbons knocked out Paul Sampson in less than two rounds of fighting.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

A very enjoyable birthday party was held last evening at 93 Chapel street, when Master Joseph Welsh observed his 13th anniversary. Thirteen young friends assembled and each and every one assisted in making the affair a memorable one. Charles Sullivan acted as master of ceremonies and he filled his duties most acceptably. William Niland presided at the piano and his part in the program was splendidly done. The popular young host was the recipient of many gifts. Games were played and refreshments served.

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# NO VOTE ON BILL TO AUTHORIZE SUITS

BOSTON, April 12.—Representative Walter Shuebruck of Plymouth, speaking in the state house of representatives yesterday in support of a bill to authorize legal suits by and against voluntary associations, including labor unions, yesterday asserted that if personal liability were to be avoided the unions should incorporate.

"Labor unions do not want to incorporate," he said. They are willing to accept the power but unwilling to accept the responsibilities. If times are critical for labor, times are equally critical for the employer. How can there be collective bargaining if only one party is bound?"

Representatives John W. McCormack of Boston, urging that the measure be referred to the next session of the legislature, declared the bill as drawn would afford employers a method of tying up labor union funds and of preventing the unions from carrying out their legitimate work.

"It threatens the right of labor to organize for mutual protection," he said. "By it the employer is given the right to sue optionally either the individual or the association. Conditions social and economic are abnormal at present and if such legislation is to be passed this is a most unfortunate time."

Mr. Shuebruck replied that in case of unfair suits "the labor unions would have the same remedies now open to corporations."

Representative John J. Heffernan of Boston, offering an amendment providing for exclusion of labor unions from the provisions of the bill, asserted that he believed the measure was aimed directly at the unions. Representative Richard B. Coolidge of Medford characterized the Heffernan amendment as proposed class legislation and improper.

The house adjourned without voting on the bill.

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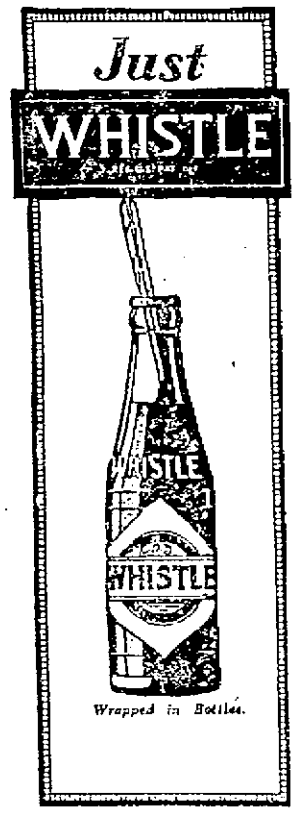


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# STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, April 12.—The usual mixture of gains and losses, the former predominating, marked the opening of today's session of the stock exchange. Dealings were light, traders evidently holding back in anticipation of the publication of the president's message to congress. Utilities were the strongest features, Western Union soon gaining 2½ points, and Consolidated Gas 1¾. Mexican Petroleum, Utah Copper and Keystone Tire averaged 1 point advances. Heaviness was shown by Sloss-Sheffield and Midvale. Cuban-American Sugar and Food Products also were lower.

Independent steel continued under pressure during the forenoon. Republic lost 1⅝, Lackawanna 2½ and Sloss-Sheffield extended its decline to four points. Sugars again reflected unfavorable financial conditions in Cuba, falling 1 to 3 points. Chemicals also were heavy. Contrary movements were made by coppers, tobaccos and specialties of the type represented by merchandise issues, particularly Sears, Roebuck and May Department Stores, gains in these diversified groups running from 1 to 4 points. Rails figured only slightly in the moderate turnover. Call money opened at 7 per cent. and exchange on London was fractionally lower.

The market developed sudden activity and general strength during the noon hour. Oils and motors were most conspicuous at extreme advances of 1 to almost 3 points. Rails also improved under lead of Reading, Northern Pacific and Pennsylvania, averaging one point gains.

More extensive offerings of steels at gross recessions of 1 to almost 4 points, unsettled the general list and wiped out most gains in the final hour. Oils offered some resistance to pressure. The closing was irregular.

**New York Clearings**

NEW YORK, April 12.—Exchanges $689,797,655; balances $58,357,565.

**Money Market**

NEW YORK, April 12.—Time loans firm; 60 days, 90 days and six months 6½:7.

Liberty bonds closed: 3½s, 90.06; first 4s, 87.50; second 4s, 87.30 bid; first 4¼s, 87.62; second 4¼s, 87.52; third 4¼s, 90.66; fourth 4¼s, 87.62; Victory 3¾s, 97.58; Victory 4¾s, 97.58.

**Cotton Market**

NEW YORK, April 12.—Cotton futures opened steady, May, 11.98; July, 12.48; October, 13.10; December, 13.43; January, 13.55.

Cotton futures closed very steady: May, 12.19; July, 12.76; October, 13.31; December, 13.63; January, 13.77.

Spot, quiet; middling, 12.40.

**NEW YORK MARKET**

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Advance Rumley | 16½ | 16½ | 16½ |
| Allis Chal | 36⅞ | 36½ | 36½ |
| Am Agri Chem | 48⅝ | 48¾ | 48¾ |
| Am Beet Sugar | 38 | 37½ | 37½ |
| Am Can | 28⅞ | 28½ | 28½ |
| do pf | 83 | 83 | 83 |
| Am Car Fdy | 123 | 122½ | 122½ |
| Am H & L | 8¾ | 8¾ | 8¾ |
| do pf | 44 | 43¾ | 43¾ |
| Am Int Corp | 43⅞ | 41¾ | 41¾ |
| Am Loco | 85¾ | 85 | 85½ |
| Am Smelt | 39¼ | 37⅞ | 39 |
| Am Sug | 91 | 90 | 91 |
| Am Sumatra | 75 | 72⅝ | 74⅝ |
| Am Wool | 73 | 72 | 72½ |
| Am Zinc | 8⅛ | 8½ | 8½ |
| Anaconda | 38⅞ | 37 7/16 | 38 1/16 |
| Atch | 80 | 80 | 80 |
| At Gulf | 38½ | 36¾ | 38 |
| Baldwin | 87⅞ | 85⅝ | 86½ |
| Beth Motors | 2⅝ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| B & O | 34 | 33¼ | 34 |
| Beth Steel B | 56 | 53¼ | 54¾ |
| B R T | 12¾ | 12¾ | 12¾ |
| Butte & Sup | 12 | 11⅞ | 12 |
| Cal Pete | 44⅞ | 44 | 44 |
| Can Pac | 114 | 113 | 114 |
| Cent Leather | 35⅝ | 33⅞ | 34⅞ |
| do pfd | 72½ | 71⅝ | 71⅝ |
| Cerro de Pasco | 27 | 26½ | 26½ |
| Chandler Motors | 80½ | 79⅛ | 79⅛ |
| Ches & Ohio | 58½ | 58½ | 58½ |
| C & Gt W pfd | 16¼ | 16⅛ | 16⅛ |
| C Mil & St Paul | 24 | 24 | 24 |
| do pfd | 38 | 37 | 37 |
| do N W | 62½ | 61¾ | 62½ |
| C R I & P | 25⅝ | 25⅛ | 25¼ |
| Chile | 11¼ | 10⅞ | 10⅞ |
| Chino | 22⅞ | 22½ | 22½ |
| Cont Candy | 1¼ | 1¼ | 1¼ |
| Con Gas | 85 | 83½ | 85 |
| Corn Pro | 72⅝ | 71½ | 71¾ |
| Cru Steel | 81 | 81⅝ | 83⅝ |
| Cuba Cane | 20⅞ | 20 | 20¾ |
| Del & Hud | 96½ | 96½ | 96½ |
| Den & R G | ¾ | ¾ | ¾ |
| do pf | 1½ | 1½ | 1½ |
| Elk Horn | 19½ | 19½ | 19½ |
| Erie | 12½ | 12⅛ | 12⅛ |
| do pf | 18¼ | 18 | 18 |
| do 2d | 12¼ | 12 | 12 |
| Fisk Tire | 15⅞ | 15¾ | 15¾ |
| Gen Elec | 135½ | 135¾ | 135¾ |
| Gen Motors | 13¼ | 13⅛ | 13⅛ |
| Goodrich | 38¾ | 38 | 38½ |
| Greene Can | 22¾ | 22¾ | 22¾ |
| Gt No pf | 70½ | 68¾ | 69½ |
| Gt N Ore ctf | 29½ | 29½ | 29½ |
| Inspiration | 33¾ | 33¼ | 33½ |
| Int Harvester | 87 | 86½ | 86½ |
| Int Nickel | 15¾ | 14⅞ | 14⅞ |
| Int Met Com | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| do pf | 13½ | 13½ | 13½ |
| Int Mer Mar | 13½ | 13½ | 13½ |
| do pf | 50½ | 50½ | 50½ |
| Int Paper | 62 | 56¼ | 62 |
| Kennecott | 19⅝ | 19 | 19 |
| K City S | 25¼ | 24¾ | 25 |
| Lack Steel | 50⅞ | 47½ | 49 |
| Lehigh Valley | 49¾ | 45⅝ | 49¾ |
| Mex Pete | 142¼ | 138¾ | 140½ |
| Miami | 19¾ | 19¾ | 19¾ |
| Middle States Oil | 13¼ | 13 | 13¼ |
| Midvale | 26 | 25½ | 25¾ |
| No Pac | 17⅝ | 17¼ | 17⅝ |
| do pf | 37 | 37 | 37 |
| Nev Cons | 11 | 10¾ | 11 |
| N Y Cent | 69 | 68 | 69 |
| NY, NH & H | 16¾ | 16¾ | 16¾ |
| No Pac | 74⅝ | 72⅞ | 73¾ |
| Ohio Gas | 33¾ | 33 | 33¾ |
| Oklahoma | 3¼ | 3¼ | 3¼ |
| Ont & West | 17 | 17 | 17 |
| Pan Am | 69⅞ | 68 | 68¾ |
| Penn | 33¾ | 32¾ | 32⅞ |
| Peo Gas | 44¼ | 43 | 43 |
| Pierce Arrow | 33½ | 32¾ | 33⅛ |
| P W V | 25¾ | 25 | 25 |
| Pres Steel | 88 | 88 | 88 |
| Punta Sugar | 43 | 42½ | 43 |
| Ray Cons | 13 | 12¾ | 12¾ |
| Reading | 68¾ | 67½ | 68¾ |
| Rep I & S | 63¼ | 58⅞ | 60¾ |
| do pfd | 91½ | 91½ | 91½ |
| Royal D | 61¼ | 60½ | 61⅛ |
| Shell Transport | 40½ | 40½ | 40½ |
| Sinclair | 23¾ | 23¼ | 23½ |
| Sloss | 41¼ | 39¾ | 40 |
| So Pac | 74¼ | 72⅝ | 73¾ |
| So Ry | 20½ | 20 | 20¼ |
| St L & Frisco | 21¼ | 20½ | 21 |
| Studebaker | 78½ | 77 | 78½ |
| Tex Oil | 41¾ | 40¾ | 41⅝ |
| Tex Pac | 19⅞ | 19½ | 19½ |
| Third Ave | 19 | 18¾ | 18¾ |
| Tobacco Pro | 49¼ | 47¾ | 48½ |
| Transcontinental | 10 | 9⅞ | 9⅞ |
| U Pac | 116 | 115¼ | 116 |
| U S Food Pro | 21¼ | 21⅛ | 21⅛ |
| U S I Al | 67⅝ | 65½ | 66¼ |
| Un Fruit | 104¼ | 103¼ | 104½ |
| U S Rub | 73¾ | 72½ | 73¾ |
| do pf | 102 | 101⅞ | 101⅞ |
| U S Steel | 81¼ | 79¾ | 80½ |
| do pf | 110¼ | 110¼ | 110¼ |
| Utah Copper | 51¾ | 50½ | 50½ |
| Va Chem | 36¾ | 36¾ | 36¾ |
| Wab A | 19½ | 19 | 19½ |
| West Maryland | 9¾ | 9½ | 9¾ |
| Willys | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| Wilson & Co | 39 | 39 | 39 |
| Westhouse | 47½ | 46½ | 46¾ |
| Wor Un | 54 | 51¾ | 53¼ |

BOSTON, April 12—Copper shares gave an improved tone to dealings on the local stock market in the early hours today. United Shoe and Edison Electric also advanced.

**BOSTON MARKET**

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mass Cons | 46½ | 45½ | 46½ |
| Allouez | 19 | 18 | 19 |
| Am Pneu | 3¼ | 3 | 3 |
| do pf | 12⅞ | 12½ | 12½ |

## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS — BY ALLMAN

# Triple Alliance Not to Strike

LONDON, April 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The railwaymen and the transport workers, members, with the miners, of the triple alliance, will continue at work, despite the strike order which had been issued for tonight. They were instructed this evening by their organizations to keep on with their labors, pending further instructions.

The representatives of the striking miners wrote to the government this evening refusing to accept the proposals that had been made by Mr. Lloyd George for the settlement of their dispute with the owners.

# BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

CONCORD, N. H., April 12.—The executive council today confirmed the appointment of Leslie P. Snow of Rochester, president of the senate, as a justice of the supreme court, succeeding Judge Reuben E. Walker, of Concord, retired by age limitation.

CONCORD, N. H., April 12.—The house of representatives today reconsidered a vote adverse to the freeing of the Eliot toll bridge and passed a bill providing for such a policy and sent it to the governor.

BEAUMONT, Tex., April 12.—The Bowie Line steamship Colonel Bowie, with 22 men on board, foundered in the Gulf of Mexico Monday night, according to wireless advices received today. Three men were picked up by the British steamer Cissi. Nineteen men are still missing.

BOSTON, April 12.—Governor Cox, addressing a dinner of the New England Newspaper Alliance today called upon newspaper publishers to stand fast in the encouragement of right thinking as a means of helping New England states, with the rest of the world, out of the critical situation which he said, now existed.

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| Nevada | 11 | 10¾ | 11 |
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| Osceola | 25½ | 25½ | 25½ |
| Quincy | 38 | 37½ | 38 |
| Shannon | 1 | 56c | 56c |
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| St Mary | 36½ | 35½ | 35½ |
| Swift & Co | 90 | 88½ | 90 |
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| Trinity | 2¼ | 2¼ | 2¼ |
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# STILL CROWDS PLATE

## Bean Ball Victim Thinks Fate Protects Him

BY DEAN SNYDER

Chick Fewster, star Yankee infielder, who was hit by a bean ball last year, is crowding the plate as much as ever this spring.

"I'll never be beaned again," says Fewster.

"Fate doesn't permit such accidents to happen twice.

"It's true I crowd the plate.

"I take a crouched position at bat so that my head is directly over the plate.

"A pitched ball aimed directly at my head would usually be a strike.

**Duck Fast Ones**

"I duck the 'dusters' and let 'em shoot past my head.

"The good ones I nail."

Fans have speculated much on Fewster's case.

Last spring at Jacksonville, Fla., Fewster was beaned by Jeff Pfeffer, Brooklyn pitcher.

His skull was fractured. For hours he lay unconscious. His life was despaired of.

For weeks he could not talk.

A piece of his skull about the size of a dollar was removed.

Fewster is now a normal person.

**Wears Steel Plate**

He wears his cap well down on the side of his head. Just inside the cap is a steel plate which protects the spot where the portion of skull was taken away.

"I've no recollection of ever seeing Pfeffer wind up to throw the ball that hit me," says Fewster.

"He had just slipped a fast one by me.

"I was thinking to myself that this fellow has something and that I'd better watch him. Then everything got black."

The first time Fewster faced Pfeffer this spring he lined out a three-bagger.

By coincidence Fewster again batted against Pfeffer on the anniversary of the day of the accident. He got three hits.

CHICK FEWSTER

ILLUSTRATION SHOWS HOW HE CHOKES HIS BAT AND CROUCHES OVER PLATE, MAKING HIS HEAD A TARGET FOR PITCHERS.

**TREE SPRAYING PROGRAM**

Supt. John G. Gordon of the moth department asks all those who intend to have spraying done during the coming season to get in touch with his office at city hall at once so the department can map out its program.

Toledo, O., has a union depot for motor trucks.

# SENATE DISCUSSION OF COLOMBIAN TREATY

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Opening senate discussion of the Colombian treaty, Senator Lodge declared today that prompt ratification of the pact in its amended form, would be consistent with the expressed views of Theodore Roosevelt and not inconsistent with the position assumed in 1917 by senate republicans.

Ratification of the long-pending pact in its present form, Senator Lodge said, would improve relations between the United States and the republics of Latin-America and would work to the advantage of the United States in the world contest for oil.

# DISCUSS WIDENING OF LOCKE STREET

Several technicalities relative to the proposed widening of Locke street and the rounding off of the corners there were discussed at a conference held this morning at the city engineer's office at which Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, Ph. D., pastor of St. Peter's church; Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy and City Engineer Stephen Kearney were present. A plan to take a small piece of land at the junction of Highland and Thorndike streets, opposite the Lowell jail, was also presented to Dr. Keleher for his consideration. Commissioner Murphy plans to start work at once on the widening of Locke st. It will be remembered that several houses were removed from Gorham st. last fall to make room for the proposed improvement.

# FOR HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC FUND

The combined glee clubs of the Lowell high school will give an entertainment in the school hall on Wednesday evening, April 20, under the direction of Fred O. Blunt, director of music in the public schools. The glee clubs, the mandolin club and the high school orchestra will lend their services for the occasion and several out of town vocalists will also appear. Miss Anna L Maguire of the elocution department of the school will give several readings. The receipts of the affair will go toward the athletic fund

## No Sign of Foul Play

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number was 457543. The discharge was evidently endorsed by a commanding officer, although the endorsement is somewhat blurred from being in the water. It notes that he served in the European war in France for 16 months as a member of the C.E.F. and says that he is entitled to wear two stripes of gold braid.

On the lapel of his coat was found an enamel button reading: "For service at the front with the C.E.F." Several other papers were found on his person, but they were so water-soaked that they were illegible.

**No Signs of Violence**

There were no signs of violence on the body, according to Medical Examiner Smith, and the condition of the body would indicate that it had been in the water a week or more. Dr. Smith ordered the body removed to the McIlroy undertaking rooms and will be held there for possible identification.

Investigation at the Merrimack mills near which the body was found disclosed the fact that the deceased had no connections there. The man wore a dark suit.

The Merrimack canal runs along Dutton street for quite a distance and the body might originally have come from the Merrimack and worked into the city's network of canals. There is no indication of the cause of the accident and inasmuch as there are no signs of violence, the assumption is that the man either committed suicide or accidentally fell into the water. He is thought to have been a man between 35 and 40 years of age.

**Body Identified**

Upon reading the papers found on the person of the dead man, after they had dried out, it was discovered that Lemoine's rank in the army was that of "corporal." He has been identified by his sister, Mrs. Charles L. Shepard, of 54 Caroline street, with whom he had been living since 1917, when he was discharged because of disability from the Canadian army. On March 12 he left her home with the intention of going to Canada, and she heard nothing from him from that time.

## Harding's Recommendations

Continued

to protect all our rights. Such action would be the simplest keeping of faith with ourselves and could in no sense be construed as a desertion of those with whom we shared our sacrifices in war, for these powers are already at peace.

"Such a resolution should undertake to do no more than thus to declare the state of peace which all America craves. It must add no difficulty in effecting, with just reparations, the restoration for which all Europe yearns, and upon which the world's recovery must be founded. Neither former enemy nor ally can mistake America's position, because our attitude as to responsibility for the war and the necessity for just reparations already has had formal and very earnest expression.

"It would be unwise to undertake to make such a statement of future policy with respect to European affairs in such a declaration of a state of peace. In correcting the failure of the executive in negotiating the most important treaty in the history of the nation, to recognize the constituted powers of the senate we would go to the other extreme, equally objectionable, if congress or the senate should assume the function of the executive. Our highest duty is the preservation of the constituted powers of each and the promotion of the spirit of co-operation, so essential to our common welfare.

**Must Accept Settlements Made**

"It would be idle to declare for separate treaties of peace with the central powers on the assumption that these alone would be adequate, because the situation is so involved that our peace engagements cannot ignore the old world relationship and the settlements already effected, nor is it desirable to do so in preserving our own rights and contracting our future relationship.

"The wiser course would seem to be the acceptance of the confirmation of our rights and interests as already provided and to engage under the existing treaty, assuming of course, that this can be satisfactorily accomplished by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom from inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests.

"Neither congress nor the people needs my assurance that a request to negotiate needed treaties of peace would be superfluous and unnecessary as it is technically ineffective, and I know in my own heart there is none who would wish to embarrass the executive in the performance of his duty when we all are so eager to turn disappointment and delay into gratifying accomplishment.

**Our Part In Readjustment**

"The weariness at home and the disappointment to the world have been compensated in the proof that this republic will surrender none of the heritage of nationality, but our rights in international relationship have to be asserted; they require establishment in compacts of amity; our part in readjustment and restoration cannot be ignored, and must be defined.

"With the supergoverning league definitely rejected and with the world so informed and with the status of peace proclaimed at home, we may proceed to negotiate the covenated relationship so essential to the recognition of the rights everywhere of our own nation and play our full part in joining the peoples of the world in the pursuits of peace once more. Our obligations in effecting European tranquility because of war's involvments are not less impelling than our part in the war itself. This restoration must be wrought before the human procession can go onward again. We can be helpful because we are moved by no hatreds and harbor no fears. Helpfulness does not mean entanglement and participation in economic adjustments does not mean sponsorship for treaty commitments which do not concern us and in which we will have no part.

"In an all-impelling wish to do the most and best for our own republic and maintain its high place among nations and at the same time make the fullest offering of justice to them, I shall invite in the most practical way the advice of the senate, after acquainting it with all the conditions to be met and obligations to be discharged, along with our rights to be safeguarded. Prudence in making the program and confident co-operation in making it effective cannot lead us far astray. We can render no effective service to humanity until we prove anew our own capacity for co-operation in the co-ordination of powers contemplated in the constitution, and no covenants which ignore our associations in the war can be made for the future. More, no helpful society of nations can be founded on justice and committed to peace until the covenants re-establishing peace are sealed by the nations which were at war. To such accomplishment—to the complete re-establishment of peace and its contracted relationship, to the realization of our aspirations, for nations associated for world helpfulness without world government, we shall address ourselves, fully mindful of the high privilege and paramount duty of the United States in this critical period of the world."

The president reserved his discussion of foreign relations for the concluding portion of his address.

He took up first the restriction of national expenditures to the limits of national income, which he said must be considered in connection with measures lifting the burdens of war taxation. By striking resolutely at expenditure he said, a solution would be hastened and he warned congress that to continue a course of unlimited expenditure would mean "inevitable disaster." Economy in government, he said, would find its reflex in economy and thrift among the people themselves.

Discussing readjustment of taxation he said that the country did not expect and would not approve a shifting of tax burdens but was more interested in "wiping out the necessity for imposing them."

The government, he said, was committed to the repeal of the excess profits tax and to abolish the "inequities and unjustifiable exasperations" in the present tax system.

Discussing tariff revision, reaffirmed his belief in the protection of American industry.

"It is our purpose," said he, "to prosper America first. The privileges of the American market to the foreign producer are offered too cheaply today and the effect of much of our own productivity is the destruction of our self-reliance which is the foundation of the independence and good fortune of our peoples. Imports should pay their fair share of our cost of government.

"Agriculture," he said, "was menaced with prices at pre-war levels and being further endangered by high cost of transportation from farm to market through the influx of foreign farm products."

While he urged emergency tariff revision immediately, he spoke of permanent revision later, and said:

"The maturer revision of our tariff laws should be based on the policy of protection resisting that selfishness which turns to greed, but ever concerned with that productivity at home which is the source of all abiding good fortune."

**Price Readjustments**

Deflation, the president told congress, might well receive its attention because while reduced costs in basic production has been recorded, deflation had failed to reach the mark where it could be, "proclaimed to the great mass of consumers." Congress, he said, might help speed price readjustments by "suitable inquiry."

Discussing the railroad question, he said there would be "an avowed foundation on which to rebuild" if it could be understood that congress has no sanction for government ownership" and "does not levy taxes upon the people to cover deficits in a service which should be self-supporting." Railway rates and costs of operation, he said, must be reduced because freight rates had mounted until "commerce is halted and production discouraged."

Development of good roads and inland waterways, he said, were collateral subjects with the transportation question. Besides endorsing federal aid to highways he urged congress to formulate a consistent program.

The president declared for a "great" merchant marine and told congress that if present laws gave advantages to competitors of American merchant marine "the spirit of American fair play will assert itself to give American carriers their equality of opportunity." He added he would report to congress its intelligent and efficient administration under existing laws made established service impossible.

He devoted a portion of his address to wireless and cable development declaring for prohibition of private monopolies tending to prevent development of needed facilities. Especially desirable, he said, were ample services at reasonable rates for the transmission of press matter so "that the daily press of all countries well may be put in position to contribute to international understandings by the publication of interesting foreign news."

He declared for encouragement of aviation for military and civil purposes, recommended the establishment of a bureau of aeronautics in the navy department and continuation of the army air service as a co-ordinate combatant of the army to be used in co-operation with other agencies to establish national transcontinental airways.

In recommending an efficient co-ordination of the various agencies having to do with the welfare and assistance of soldiers and sailors the president made no mention of the bonus question. He recommended the creation of a department of public welfare, making it plain there was no purpose by the federal government to invade fields which the states have occupied.

In recommending speedy consideration of the army and navy appropriation bills he declared that while the government was in accord with the wish to eliminate the burden of heavy armament and was ready to co-operate with other governments to approximate disarmament, it would not "entirely discard our agencies for defense until there is removed the need to defend." He made no specific declaration as to the size of the army or the navy except to say that the naval program could "carry no threat after the latest proof of our national unselfishness."


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# Grand Circuit Freak—Double-Gaited Champ May Lower Race Mark

PRINCE LOREE—DOUBLE-GAITED CHAMPION OF THE WORLD—IS TUNING UP TO WIN MORE LAURELS THIS YEAR.

CLEVELAND, April 12.—Prince Loree, the double-gaited champion of the harness tracks, is tuning up for the Grand Circuit opening here on July 4.

Prince Loree holds the distinguished record of having done the mile in 2.03¼ as a trotter one season and having come out as a pacer the next and stepped a mile in 2.00.

He made his trotting record in 1919 and his pacing mark in 1920.

This year the double-gaited champ is expected to pace a mile in less.

The gelding is owned by Captain David Shaw.

**Trainer Gets Credit**

Mike McDevitt, trainer, made the discovery that Prince Loree showed signs of being a lateral-gaited horse even while he was making his trotting records. Credit is due the trainer.

After making the record of 2.03¼ in the trots there were but few races the gelding could enter.

Trainer McDevitt did some experimenting.

Railbirds were amazed to see Prince Loree swing 'round the track with a sidewheeler gait.

The horse was trained all summer and in September showed his first mile workout in 2.00.

The horse's record of 2.03¼ trot and 2.00 pace gives him rank as the world's double-gaited champ with an average record of 2.01⅝.

**Record Safe**

Prince Loree's mark seems less likely to be disturbed of all records now standing.

The Grand Circuit purses this year will aggregate close to three-quarters of a million dollars.

The richest purse is for trotters—$15,000. It is known as the North Randal purse, open for all trotters except Peter Manning and Arion Guy.

# TO ASK REPEAL OF THE VOLSTEAD ACT

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Representative Hill, republican, of Maryland, will introduce a bill in congress this session to repeal the Volstead act. Two other members of the house delegation from his state, Linthicum, democrat, and Mudd, republican, will support the proposed measure.

Mr. Hill was elected on a wet platform. It is not his purpose to try to uproot the 18th amendment, but he thinks that the laws should be amended so as to eliminate restrictions not contemplated by many of those who voted to submit the amendment.

New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts and Missouri members will join in the movement to be launched by the Marylanders.

Wayne B. Wheeler, legislative watchdog for the Anti-Saloon league, said yesterday that a count of noses in the new congress told him the "drys" could win in any showdown contest.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue Williams quit yesterday and Millard F. West, his deputy in charge of accounts, became acting head of the bureau. Paul F. Myers, assistant commissioner, retired with Mr. Williams and will become his partner in a law firm.

The acting commissioner, Mr. West said yesterday afternoon that he was ready at a moment's notice from Secretary Mellon to take up the Palmer beer decision and frame a set of regulations to comply with its provisions. His first move, he declared, would be to have John F. Kramer, prohibition commissioner, send over a set of proposals. Asked if the retiring commissioner of revenue did not have on his desk tentative regulations to control the manufacture and sale of beer for medicinal purposes, Mr. West said nothing there would be used as a basis for the new regulations, but it would not require Mr. Kramer long to prepare a rough draft of what he desired.

## CHILD 21 DAYS WITH A BROKEN SKULL

BOSTON, April 12.—Six-year-old Daniel Casey of 25 Clinton street, Waltham, has gone three weeks with a fractured skull, according to a diagnosis made yesterday by physicians at City hospital, where he was taken by relatives to whom he had complained of pains in the head.

According to the story told hospital officials, the youngster was playing marbles about three weeks ago at the corner of Newton and Chelsea streets, in Waltham, when an automobile ran through the group and struck him. He was taken home at the time and received treatment for bruises. He continued going to school and following his normal youthful pursuits until last Saturday, when he began to complain of pains in his head. The visit to the hospital followed. It was said yesterday that the child's case was serious.

## TWO CUP RACE MEN NEARLY DROWNED

HALIFAX, N. S., April 12.—Captain Ringer and Harry Fritch of the American schooner Esperanto, which won the international schooner race last year, narrowly escaped drowning near Liverpool, N. S., yesterday, when their dory capsized in a heavy squall.

They had started to sail up the Mersey river when the squal struck their dory. It overturned and they clung to the craft until Michael Collins, an engineering officer on a dredge, and Geo. Lisgar of the government tug Lisgar reached them in a boat. Capt. Ringer and Fritch were nearly overcome with the cold when rescued.

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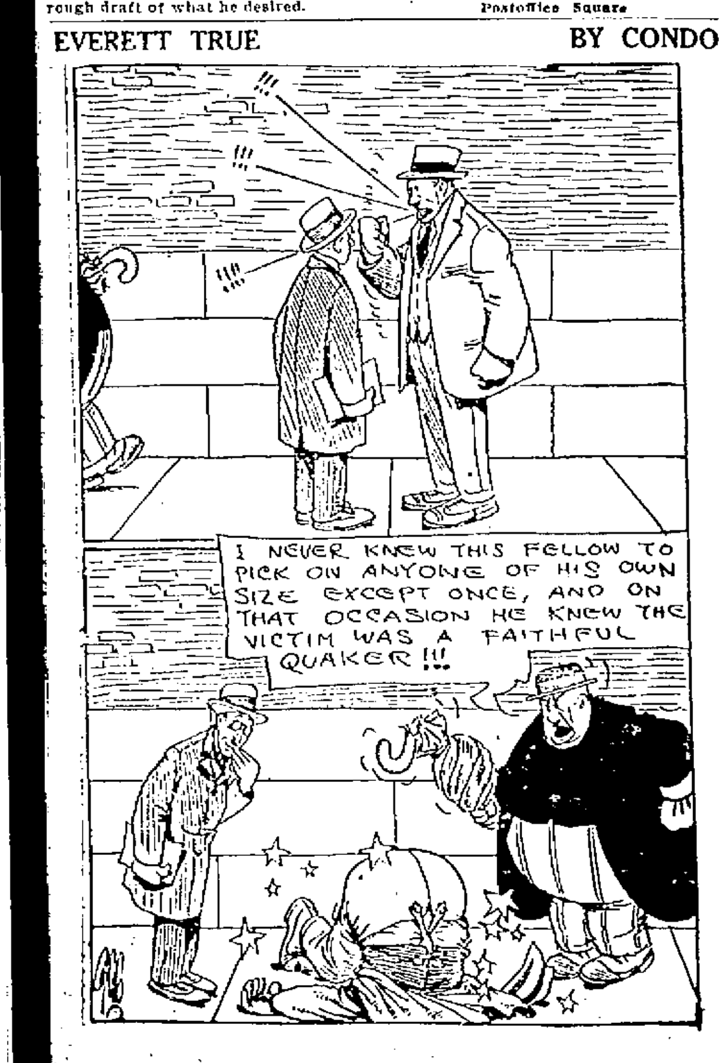


# ANSWER NOTES ON YAP

## Replies From France and Britain Received — Comment Withheld

WASHINGTON, April 12.—France and Great Britain are understood to have replied to Secretary Hughes' recent notes regarding the Japanese mandate over Pacific Island of Yap. The British government's response is said to have been of a preliminary nature.

State department officers, while intimating that replies had been received, declined to say so positively, or to indicate their nature.

France, in replying to a previous American note regarding the Yap mandate, expressed the hope that the controversy between the United States and Japan on this subject could be settled by direct negotiations between them without involving her as a principal.

Some diplomats believe that her new communication goes farther, inasmuch as Mr. Hughes dealt with the whole subject of mandates, as well as with Yap specifically.

It has been the expectation of state department officers, and some foreign envoys as well, that the allied governments would admit the soundness of the American position that as one of the principal allied and associated powers in favor of which Germany by the treaty of Versailles renounced its rights and titles in its overseas possessions, the United States is entitled to a voice in the ultimate disposition of those territories.

It has been assumed that the application of the principle will be left to further negotiations. Details of the application, it is said, might embrace the awarding of mandates as well as the terms under which the former German territories would be administered. Ex-Secretary Colby, in his note to Great Britain on the Mesopotamian oil question, as well as in his communication of last February to the council of the League of Nations on the Yap mandate, contended that the American government should be given opportunity to pass upon the mandate forms before their final adoption.

In view of the supposed tentative character of the British reply to Mr. Hughes, there was little disposition in official circles to comment regarding the attitude of that government.

The opinion has been advanced, however, that Great Britain's attitude probably would be influenced in great measure by whether or not Japan insisted upon the carrying out of the terms of the treaty of London under which Great Britain and France agreed she should have the former German islands north of the Equator. This treaty was entered into before the United States declared war on Germany and at the time when Japan was asked to come more actively to the assistance of the European allies in combating the German submarine menace.

With the Yap mandate question apparently still far from settlement, it is not thought likely that the international communications conference, which resumes its session tomorrow, will make great progress toward agreement on the disposition of old German cables.

Norman E. Davis, former under secretary of state, who as chairman called tomorrow's meeting, was in conference with Secretary Hughes several hours yesterday. Mr. Davis later said the outlook for ultimate agreement among the conferees was good, although it is not believed probable that much progress will be made until the broader questions involved in the Yap discussions are disposed of.

AUTOMOBILE ON FIRE

The fire department had to be called out, when an automobile was found burning on the East Chelmsford road about 10 o'clock last night. The auto, which had been abandoned, was standing between Gorham and Chelmsford streets.

SETH TANNER

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## LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Edward J. Brown, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George H. Allard, the junior of that name, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor, therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

George H. Allard, Jr., Attorney.

a9-12-18

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry H. Heard, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by John J. Harvey, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him or some other suitable person, the executrix named in said will having declined to accept the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

a9-11-18

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry M. Kabele, late of Westford, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary F. Kabele, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-seventh day of April, A. D., 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

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# MISERY AND STARVATION

## Sir Paul Dukes Paints Terrible Picture of Conditions in Russia

### When Horse Falls Dead in Street Hungry People Hack it to Pieces

### Voices of Trotzky and Lenine Heard by Large Audience in Colonial Hall

Trotzky and Lenine spoke yesterday afternoon at the Monday meeting of the Middlesex Women's club, held in Colonial hall. Their voices, impassioned and eloquent, were heard by an audience which filled the floor and balcony. Although they spoke through the medium of the phonograph, the records were clear and life-like. The unusual feature was due to the enterprise of Sir Paul Dukes, who headed the British secret service in Russia during many months of the Bolshevik regime and who brought back propaganda and phonograph disks, carrying speeches by the two great leaders of the Red republic. Sir Dukes was knighted by King George in consequence of his fearless activities in Russia at a time when his discovery would have meant death. "I shall try to give you a faint idea of conditions under communism," he began, in a speech which was alive with vivid descriptions of hair-breadth escapes and daredevil adventure. He briefly sketched Russian history from the time of the 1913 revolution which had as its culmination the fall of Czar Nicholas. "This revolution," he said, "gave to the Russian people those liberties which had been denied them for centuries. It so happened that at that time Russia was at war with Germany, and the Germans immediately poured enormous sums of money into the seething country, to prevent their foes from making effective war. The result of the agitation produced by German gold had its manifestation in the second revolution, that which put Lenine and Trotzky in power." Sir Dukes told his hearers that only a half million of Russia's one hundred and fifty millions are Bolsheviks. But he explained their success in remaining in the saddle as being in consequence of their organization. He went on to describe the theory of Bolshevism. "The Bolshevik divides humanity into two classes," he said, "the bourgeoisie and the proletariat. Of course it is impossible so to divide humankind. There are more classes than the proletariat and the non-proletariat. But so the Bolsheviks put it. They also call the two divisions the "haves" and the "have nots." Their theory calls for the overthrow of the "haves" and the overthrow of the "proletarian dictatorship." Those overthrown include all the educated classes. Trotzky and Lenine call the present regime a dictatorship of the proletariat, but the people would call it a dictatprship over the proletariat. Hordes of poor believed that the dispossession of the bourgeoisie would mean paradise for the workers. But the time came when the bourgeoisie had no more of which to despoil them, and then the workers were disillusioned. But the Bolsheviks were the only organized group. Those in the seats of power had all the means of compulsion. Many would like to know why the patriotic Russians, if so greatly in the majority, have not thrown the dictators out. Armies have assembled on the borders, for the purpose of invading the homeland. The peasantry has at first been enthusiastic. But the tragedy of such enterprises has been their backing. People were behind these movements, who had not learned the lessons of the first revolution. Behind Kolchak, Denikine and Wrangel were the landlords and those who desired the re-establishment of the czar. As soon as the peasants realized this, their support waned. Discontent filled the ranks, and revolts broke out in the rear. Any attack on Lenine and Trotzky, based on a desire to re-establish the old system, will meet failure. No one in Russia believes that Lenine and Trotzky will last forever. But they are afraid that any system put in force by Wrangel, Denikine or Kolchak, backed by the allies, might be a permanent and disagreeable system. So that they wish to wait for a while, until they see what they can put in the place of the Bolsheviks. What happens in Russia will depend on the peasants."

Life in Russia was depicted by stereopticon slides. The human abodes of the countrymen, with their holes beneath the beds, where hogs and chickens repose, were shown. Stoves, with women sleeping on them to catch the last faint rays of warmth, because of fuel scarcity, were pictured. Sir Dukes narrated anecdotes of the peasant's propensity to scorn all Bolshevik money, all Russian money in fact, save czarist money. A facsimile of the czar's abdication appeared, with the signature, "Nicholas," at the bottom. There followed lurid Bolshevik propaganda cartoons.

"Private trade goes on in Russia on a large scale," said the speaker, "despite government prohibition of such practices. It cannot be repressed. Sellers and buyers meet on the pavement of the squares, which are filled with merchants at most times. The Red guards sometimes raid the marketplaces, and then there is a scurrying, the dealers hurriedly placing their goods in sacks and making for shelter. A dozen of the thousands who are selling may be captured. But an hour later, when one returns, there are just as many people trading as before. There are 'sack carriers' who run the gauntlet of guards from the provinces to the cities, riding on the roofs of the trains, and otherwise eluding the law. Horseflesh is a rare luxury. The moment a horse falls dead on the streets, people rush and hack it to pieces. Fuel is even harder to get than food, for it cannot so easily be carried in a sack." Sir Dukes said that marriage is a simple matter under the Bolshevik rule. A couple merely go before a magistrate, express a mutual desire to wed, clasp a corner of the red bander in token of their resolution, sign their names, and the thing is done. One may marry and be divorced several times in a day.

"The Bolshevik leaders see liberty for the proletariat," said Sir Dukes, "only in seas of non-proletariat blood. They are ruthless in tehir executions, and attribute their domination to the stupidity of the Russians. But the Russians are far from stupid. All Great Russian music finds its inspiration in the peasantry, and from the folk-songs of the peasantry. The common people have marvelous painters among them, men who can study a painting for a couple of hours, and then reproduce it so faithfully that one is at a loss to tell which is the original and which the copy." After describing his adventures in eluding the Red police, who were many times on his track, the speaker concluded by expressing confidence that England and America will some day work hand in hand in Russia, giving real liberty to the people of that nation.

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# UNION BRINGS SUIT FOR MILLION

## Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America Sue Clothing Mfg. Association

### Seeks to Prevent Anti-Union Activities — Outcome of Lockout and Strike

NEW YORK, April 12.—The Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America today brought suit against the Clothing Manufacturers' Association and many of its members for an injunction to restrain them from anti-union activities. Damages of $1,000,000 are sought on the ground that the defendants have conspired to destroy the union.

The suit grows out of the lockout and strike in the clothing industry which has been in progress nearly five months, throwing more than 65,000 workers out of employment and resulting in the union being made the target for nearly a score of court attacks.

Manufacturers have obtained injunctions restraining the union in its picketing activities and have demanded millions of dollars in damages. One suit against the union seeking $500,000 damages recently was dismissed.

The Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' Protective Association today announced measures to be instituted immediately in an effort to lower production costs for next fall.

These provide for a uniform reduction in wages, an increase in the number of working hours per week, and the right of employers to select and retain employes who are best suited to conditions prevailing in the individual factories.

The association severed relations with the International Ladies' Garment Workers' union last October.

## HELD FOR THE JUVENILE COURT

Joseph W. Lescard will appear in the juvenile court on Friday morning, to answer charges of unlawfully taking an automobile. The boy was before Judge Enright this morning, and was given a continuance to the date of the juvenile session. The car, a Ford roadster, the property of William J. Burbeck, was taken and abandoned on the same evening. Officers Molony and Liaign recovered it on Summer street. While Lescard was driving the machine, Officer Owen S. Conway, who made the arrest, recognized him, but was unable to pursue him as there were no other automobiles in sight. Conway states that when he finally apprehended Lescard, he admitted taking possession of the car.

### CARD OF THANKS

To the many that helped to lighten the burden by their sympathy and kind remembrances, in the death of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Caroline Gomes, we, the undersigned, wish to extend our thanks and appreciation.

MANUEL GOMES,
LUIS GOMES.

### CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends and the Ladies' Aid of the Centralville M.E. church for their comforting words, acts of kindness and many beautiful floral tributes during the recent illness and death of our dearly beloved daughter and sister.

MR. and Mrs. GEO. E. CLOGSTON and Family.

ABOUT THIS TIME O' YEAR

## DEATHS

CAHILL—Mrs. Julia (Rowe) Cahill, the well known dressmaker, died last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Madaline Scannell, 14 West Bowers street. Deceased was a well-known resident of this city and a member of St. Patrick's parish. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Madaline Scannell and Mrs. Genevieve Cahill; two sons, Thomas F. of New York and Joseph W. of Lowell; one sister, Mrs. George Coupe; five brothers, Thomas, Joseph, Edward, George and Vincent Rowe of Lowell, and three grandchildren.

DEAN—Mrs. Mary Dean, an old resident of this city, died this morning at the Chelmsford street hospital, aged 73 years. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

## FUNERALS

O'HARE—The funeral of John P. O'Hare took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the home of his brother, Francis J. O'Hare, 203 Pleasant street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 9 o'clock, a funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. William Keenan, of Gloucester, a cousin of the deceased. Seated within the sanctuary were Rev. Daniel J. Kelcher, Ph.D., Rev. Conrad Quirbach of Newton Centre, Rev. John Duffy, O.M.I. and Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan. The choir sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Miss Mary Rynne, James E. Donnelly and Joseph Egan. Present at the mass were many friends of deceased prominent in business and civil life in addition to relatives and friends of the family. There was a profusion of floral tributes and numerous spiritual offerings, touching tokens of sorrow from the friends of deceased. The following delegation represented the Alpine club: Messrs. John Highland, Frank Marren and Thomas Lynch. The bearers were Messrs. Robert J. Crowley, Esq., Joseph Farrell, Henry Farrell, William H. Connors, Edward Donohoe and Michael Carroll. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Keenan, assisted by Rev. Fr. Quirbach, Rev. Fr. Shea and Rev. Fr. Linehan. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MENDES—The funeral of Mary Mendes took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, Manuel and Virginia Gonsalves Mendes, 167 Tremont street. Services were held in St. Anthony's church, the prayers being read by Rev. Fr. Perry. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

SEXTON—The funeral services of Walter Howard Sexton were held at his home in Billerica Centre yesterday afternoon, and were largely attended by relatives, friends and a large delegation from Thomas Talbot lodge, A.F. and A.M., of which the deceased was a member. The services were conducted by Rev. William Walsh, pastor of the Unitarian church of Billerica, and Mrs. H. D. Livingston sang appropriate selections. There were many flowers. The bearers were A. H. Mitchell, Dr. Warren Stearns, John Barrington, Ellis F. Colgate, Albert W. Richardson, Arthur S. Cook and E. C. Vining. Burial was in the family lot in North cemetery, where the delegation of Masons read the Masonic burial service. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake.

RICHARDSON—The funeral services of Miss Nellie Smith Richardson were held at the rooms of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake yesterday afternoon, Rev. Cyrus Richardson, D.D., pastor of the Congregational church of Concord, Mass., officiating. Mrs. George Spaulding sang appropriate selections. There were many flowers. The bearers were Walter Tolssell, Harold Fox, John Trull and Harry Fox. Burial was in the family lot in Dracut cemetery.

CONNOR—The funeral of John Connor took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 40 Oak street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including several from Manchester, N. H. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. T. Wade Smith, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Henry R. Burns, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. Thos. F. Coffey, O.M.I., as sub-deacon. The choir, directed by Mr. Charles P. Smith sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by Mr. Smith and Mrs. Hugh Walker. Mrs. Walker also presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes, also many spiritual remembrances from sympathizing relatives and friends. There was a delegation in attendance from Industry council, No. 1722, Royal Arcanum, as follows: Richard T. Mower, P. R., Joseph H. Gormley, P.R., John W. Sharkey, secretary, and Joseph F. Handley. The bearers were Messrs. George R. Meyers, George O. Perreault, George S. Howard, Patrick Montague, J. Joseph Whelton and James Haley. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Tighe, O.M.I., read the committal service at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna had charge of the arrangements.

DAVEY—The funeral of Peter Davey took place this morning at 9 o'clock, from his home, 88 Bartlett street. At the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock, solemn high funeral mass was sung by Rev. Owen P. McQuade, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Henry Burns, O.M.I., as deacon, and Rev. James Coffey, O.M.I., as subdeacon. Seated within the sanctuary were Rev. Eugene P. Dorgan, O.M.I., Rev. T. W. Smith, O.M.I., and Rev. J. C. Duffy, O.M.I. An augmented choir, directed by Mr. Charles P. Smith, rendered beautiful and appropriate music. Solos were rendered by Miss Etta King, Miss Frances Tighe, Messrs. P. P. Haggerty and William Gookin. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. The church was well filled with sorrowing relatives and friends, including many from other cities. There were many floral and spiritual offerings. The bearers were Messrs. Charles Rounds of Malden, John Welch, Frank Gargan, George Gallagher, Michael Ford and John Tansey. Messrs. John and James Roarke served as ushers. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Very Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Fr. McQuaid, O.M.I., and Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. C. Clinton Rounds of Malden, Mass., and under the general direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

COSTA—The funeral of Manuel Costa took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Manuel and Francisco G. Costa Costa, 134 Gorham street. Services were held in St. Anthony's church at 1 o'clock, the prayers being read by Rev. Fr. Perry. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

CAHILL—The funeral of Mrs. Julia Rowe Cahill will take place Thursday morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Madaline Scannell, 14 West Bowers street, at 8.15 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

BIRCHALL—The funeral of James Birchall will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter P. Birchall, 31 Stanley street. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

SULLIVAN—The funeral of Mrs. Anne Sullivan will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 9 Burtt street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Margaret's church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

SAVARD—The funeral of Alfred Savard will take place Wednesday morning at 8.15, from his late home, 84 Ford street. Solemn high mass will be celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock. Burial in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral Director Joseph Albert in charge.

### IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Annie Bergen of Swampscott, Mass., formerly of Lowell, Died March 15, 1921.

Each spring the Incas of Peru used to celebrate the festival of the sun.

# BOTH SIDES SEE LLOYD GEORGE

## Mine Owners and Coal Diggers Received by British Premier Again Today

### Hope of Agreement to Prevent Walkout by Transport Workers and R. R. Men

LONDON, April 12.—Both sides in the controversy between mine owners and coal diggers which brought about the strike of British miners last week, were received by Premier Lloyd George today. The mine owners conferred with Mr. Lloyd George at 11 o'clock, and the miners were ready to talk with the premier immediately after the conclusion of his conversation with the owners.

Representatives of the miners will report to the "tripue alliance of labor" later in the day as to whether the prospects of a settlement are sufficiently favorable to justify the postponement of the strike of the National Union of Railwaymen and the National Federation of Transport Workers, members of which are prepared to walk out at 12 o'clock tonight. It was declared here today that there would be no strike of these two organizations unless negotiations to be carried out today broke down.

Prospects were generally held not to be unfavorable, although a member of the miners' executive committee said last night: "We have not come to grips as yet on counter proposals." Yesterday's proceedings barely passed the preliminary stage of the statement of the respective cases of those directly involved in the miners' strike.

It was stated in various quarters today that the miners were prepared to accept a wage reduction by the establishment of a sliding scale schedule based on the cost of living. It was pointed out that, in even the most unfavorable circumstances, the transport strike cannot begin until Friday, as seamen and firemen, whose union is affiliated with the transport workers' federation, insisted on a ballot before walking out. This vote began today, and will continue four days to be cast.

Operations to insure the safety of the mines from floods of water are proceeding without hindrance in most of the coal fields in the United Kingdom.

The only exception is found in Fifeshire, where only two of 64 pits are being pumped.

## SUN BREVITIES

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Miss Mabelle F. Whitlock of Bibeault & Stevens' Middlesex garage has been appointed a notary public by Gov. Cox.

Don't fail to hear Helen Osgood in her selected program of monologues poems. Colonial hall, Thursday night.

The social service and T. B. societies of Lowell met this afternoon at the rooms of the chamber of commerce. The T. B. society will meet again at 2.30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Walter A. Hall of 573 Broadway, this city, has been awarded the Bowditch scholarship at Harvard. This award, which is made by the vote of the Harvard corporation, is for the academic year of 1920-1921.

The fire protection committee of the Lowell chamber of commerce met today at 12.30 p. m. in the Colonial restaurant, Prescott street. The Colonial will also be the scene of a meeting of the membership committee tomorrow at noon.

The Oakleaves were forfeited the game played with the Alpines Sunday afternoon on Christian Hill terrace, following an argument in which several of the Alpine players disputed a decision of Umpire Burke. The game was forfeited at the end of the eighth inning when the score stood 19 to 19. McGraw and Riley starred for the winners and Woods and Sullivan for the Alpines.

A very pleasant shower was given in honor of Miss Hazel G. Sullivan at the home of Mrs. Russell P. Sullivan, 318 Westford, last evening. Refreshments were served and musical numbers rendered by the many friends of the bride-to-be. Those participating in the numbers were Miss Rita Halloran, Mrs. Frank Golden and Miss Mae Corey. A most enjoyable recitation was given by Miss Louise G. Roche entitled "Casey at the Bat." The party broke up at a late hour, wishing Miss Sullivan a very happy future. Miss Sullivan is to become the bride of Mr. Wm. Hale Dwyer of Haverhill.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lowell Teachers organization will be held in high school hall tomorrow afternoon at 4.15, and will take the form of a reception to Miss Mary A. Webster. A musical program will be carried out and will include selections by Mrs. James A. Murphy, soprano, and Mrs. Ella Reilly Toye, pianist. There will be addresses by Mayor Thompson, Chairman Delaney of the school board, and Supt. Molloy. Refreshments will be served.

# NEW ENGLAND STATES COUNCIL ORGANIZED

BOSTON, April 12—The New England states council was organized here yesterday to co-ordinate activity in the study and solution of important problems affecting the economic welfare of this part of the country.

Representatives of the state and city chambers of commerce, granges, farm bureaus, manufacturing, transportation and banking interests and other organizations fostered the new trade body. They selected an executive committee provisionally representative of states and economic groups.

William T. Cobb, former governor, was named to represent Maine. Others to represent their states were: Ralph D. Hetzel, president of New Hampshire college, New Hampshire; Charles G. Staples, president of the Vermont Bankers' association, Vermont; Horace A. Carter, president state chamber of commerce, Massachusetts; George B. Chandler, secretary of the Connecticut chamber of commerce, Connecticut.

Group interests represented on the executive committee included: Agriculture, W. J. Thompson, master of the Maine State Grange, and Dr. A. W. Gilbert, Massachusetts commissioner of agriculture; commerce, Isador Wise, Hartford, Conn., and James A. Gulnac, president of the Maine state chamber of commerce, Bangor; finance, Charles G. Bancroft, president of the International Trust Co., Boston; manufacturing industries, E. Kent Hubbard, president Connecticut Manufacturers' association, Bridgeport, and Orra L. Stone, general manager Associated Industries of Massachusetts, Boston.

Vacancies on the committee to be filled later include representation for the state of Rhode Island, an additional representative for finance and two representatives of transportation interests.

### CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all who by their acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and offerings of floral tributes and spiritual bouquets served to lessen the burden of our grief on the death of our loving father, also the employes of the Chelmsford street hospital. The kindness will ever be remembered by

Bartholomew G. Sheehan,
Josephine M. Sheehan,
Thomas F. Sheehan,
John J. Sheehan,
Mrs. Mary J. Castles,
Mrs. N. E. Ganley

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The engagement of William B. Leeds, Jr., of New York to Princess Xenia of Greece, has just been announced. Leeds is 18, and the son of the late millionaire tin-plate king. His mother is Princess Anastasia of Greece. His fortune is about $30,000,000. Princess Xenia is 17 and and the niece of King Constantine of Greece.

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